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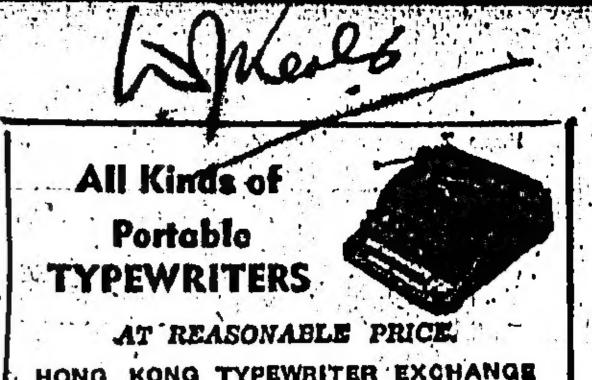
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LAST-MINUTE BID TO SECURE PEACE Duke Sees A "Shot" To Study In The Export Battle Stalin's Li Tries To Contact

To March Into Peiping

Photographic requirement,

Shanghal, January 31. The Communist Radio announced today that the Chinese Communist army is to march into Peiping throughout the day today to replace the Nationalist forces who are to move to designated rendezvous points where they will be re-organised or disbanded.

For the first time today the Red radio voice referred to the Nationalist commander in Pelping as General Fu Tso-yi instead of "war criminal Fu Tsoyi." This is believed to reflect the air of amity which marked the peaceful conquest of China's ancient capital.

The brondcaster from the official North Shensi station did not mention the formation of a Communist-led City Government which was expected to be announced simultaneously with the military changeover.-United

Hong Kong result of his mission to Peiving where he had contacted the Com-Shrouded In Fog

The first fog of the year fell on Hong Kong shortly before 9 o'clock last night and, within half an hour, had completely disrupted harbour traffic.

By 10 p.m. conditions were, so very bad that all launches, with the exception of the ferries. stopped running. Even Police launches were given instructions to heave to, or tie up if they happened to be near a pier or buoy. So thick was the fog that not a single glimpse of the inyriads of Hong Kong lights could be seen

from Kowloon. European inspectors on duty at the Star Ferry wharves beat on the gongs in order to guide incoming ferries. The Hong Kong ·--Yaumati Ferry Co.'s inspectors had to do likewise.

Up to a late hour last night, no harbour casualties have been reported to the Water Police. The Royal Observatory said late last night it expected the fog to lift this afternoon. It could sny whether the Colony would be fog-bound again to-

THE WEATHER

At 0600 GMT (2 'p.m. HKST) a 'trough extends from Indo-China across central China to the E of Jupun. On it, East-"ward moving depressions are centred over the Eastern sea, and E of Hokkaldo, From the persistent anti-cyclone a ridge stretches W to Hainan. Today's Forecasts-Light variable winds

SE predominating. Fog at first, becoming fair. Yesterday's Weathers-Maximum: 76.2 deg. Fah.

Minimum: 62.6 deg. Fah. Sunskine: 4.4 hours. Rainfall: Nil. Total since Jan.

2.0 mm.=0.08 inch as against an average of \$1.8 mm.=1,25 inches. Readings at 10 m.m.

Haro, at m.s.i. ..., 1016.6 1013.8 m.b. Equals 80.02 29.95 inches Rel. Humidity 98. 70 % Dew Point 45 67 deg. F. Wind Direction ... E W by B Wind Force 15 . 7 knots. Time . High 1225

Hong Kong's Weather Welcome Change To APL Passongers :

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Pago T Northern Defence Talks Col-

U.S. In Outlawing War Acheson To Mest With Canada, Britain and W. European Nations

Reds In Shanghai WAR OF NERVES DEVELOPS Shanghai, January 31. President Li Tsung-jen arrived here secretly and unexpectedly around noon today by plane from Nanking to contact third party representatives in a last-minute bid to secure negotiated peace with the Chinese Communist Party.

It was thought possible that President Li would confer with the Communist representative in Shanghai before returning to the capital in a few days.

Meanwhile, this morning, high-ranking officials remaining in Nanking formed a Joint Administrative Office to continue the work of the Central Government.

peace delegation, and Mr. Hwang Hsuch-sung accompanied the President here. They are his closest advisers.

President Li's arrival follows Commodities Up that of his personal peace envoy, Mr. Hwan Chi-han, who came here from Nanking yesterday after reporting to his chief the between 40,000 and 45,000 Gold munist General Yeh Chien-ying, Chief Administrator of the an-

Shortly ofter landing in Shanghai President Li met Dr. Sun Fo and other Cabinet Ministers, who are at present in Shanghai route to the new seat of Government at Canton, where a Cabinet meeting is planned for February

Flying North

The Nanking people's peace delegation, which has been com+ municating with the Communists at Pelping with a view to meeting the Communist leader, Mao Tse-tung, took off from the last natural barrier defending capital in shother plane for the Kuomintang-held South China. North as the President and his party flew to Shanghai.

With prospects of an early nation-wide peace remote, a number of prominent local Chinese political and business leaders, including ... some .. sesoclated with the Democratic League, were reported today actively working behind scenes for a scharate peace settlement for Shanghal.

The sponsors of the movement, who hope to contact the Chinese Communists at the appropriate mement to save China's commercial capital from serious damage or destruction, are said to have already received President Li Tsung-jen's approval to their

They are reported to be confident of achieving their goal and intend to make a public announcement of their project shortly. Before then, they hope to have won General Chen Taching, Shanghai Garrison Commander, who has repeatedly velced his determination to defend the city to the last man to

Main Obstacle

General Chen is at present considered the main obstacle to the plan but his attitude is expected to undergo a change after completion of the withdrawnl of the forces of General Tang Enpo, his immediate superior, from the .: Nanking-Shanghai area Southward to Cheklang and

Fuklen provinces. Meanwhile, utter confusion reigned on the financial market here today as most business remained closed for the Chinese

Yollowing circulation by the Cen-

trail Nawa Ashney of a report

New Year holidays

clined to 600.

Quotations for gold bars were Yuan an ounce.

Prices of all commodities, inmarks during the day.

highly reliable sources today.

The sources said six columns are now concentrated in Yicheng

25 miles South West and East of Nanking where the Communists Govt To Fight? are expected, according to Nationalist military quarters, to make their initial attempts to cross the vital waterway-the

- Military sources said the Government is moving its artillery units out of Nanking West and East to Wuhu and the river bank area opposite Yloheng centring at Chenklang, in anticipation of Communist crossing operations.

Nanking, January 31. The Nationalist Government decided today that it would not execute any of the proposed Communist peace terms until after it had begun pence negotlations with the Communist Party.

A Government statement to this effect was expected to be issued here later tonight. Observers said it meant that the Nationalist Government had rejected the Red broadcast which demanded the imprisonment of Generalissimo Chiang Kaishek and other prominent right wing Nationalists on the Red war criminals list.

-President Li Tsung-jen returned to Nanking from Shanghai tonight,-Reuter,

The American dollar fluctuated. It is not possible to ascertain member of the Nationalist wildly. Early quotations were at present whether the Communsaid to have ranged around 700 ists would force the Nationalist Gold Yuan, compared with only river defences now or wait for 400 24 hours earlier, but later de- the outcome of the forthcoming peace negotiations.

> Competent military observers believed the Communists would make only a diversionary thrust against the Pukow-Pucheng area opposite Nanking, but there were no indications they would make a serious throat directly on Nan-

A reliable source said only two cluding rice, rose to new high Communists columns are now stationed North of Pucheng, three Ten artillery-equipped Com- miles North of Nanking. It is munist, columns are now massed possible, however, that the Comalong the Yangise River East and munists in Vicheng may launch West of Nanking ready to cross an out-flanking drive on the the river to envelop the Nation- Pukow-Pucheng area along the 'alist capital, according to usually river bank if their anticipated efforts to cross the river there

are frustrated. Local Communist units are said and another four columns have to be scattered along the rivertaken up positions opposite bank from Pukow to Yicheng. Wuhu and Yicheng are 50 and outilanking movement if made. who are expected to facilitate the

The 28th, 59th and . 98th 54th and 45th armies are now capsized in a squall. garrisoning Nanking. There are without a fight.

sident Li Tsung-jen's personal Kwangsi troops arrived in Nanking today to bolster the defence of the capital. These troops were formerly stationed in Anhwel under the command of General

Isla Wei. Competent military observers in Nanking believe the civil war developing into a "war of nerves" as no serious large-scale fighting has been reported anywhere in China.

They said that possible peace negotiations coming soon has had an important psychological effect on both Communist and Nationalists troops. These observers said the soldiers on both sides probably agree that "why take a chance of getting killed when we may have peace yery soon?"

Red Morale Higher

But all observers agree that if the peace talks fail. It would come as a much harder blow to the Government forces than to the Communist troops whose morale is very much higher.

Observers believe the Shanghal-Nanking railway to Chenking and Nanking, which skirts the coasis across the river from the Communist artillery positions at Yicheng, could easily be knocked out by Red gunners. They said the Reds also probably will atir up local Red troops operating in the Takhu Lake region between Shanghal and Nanking to complete the job of knocking out the railway and road movements. Reuter and United Press.

Cil, Millerold Lot

ago 6 and with a wolfram and some metals in ated to the delivered into Russian chandels death of Mr. Miles Vaughn. To Commission announced in its Stallin Proposes. To Join production, such as wolfram, he will make his own strange wallable convert trade. Iron me he represented the best in mo- fifth semi-annual trapers to Con-Tills was revealed here today Callings Mulister, General Chang Chile-chung, was firing home to

Nanking, January 31. | General Chang is Governor- resources of Sinklang have been Messages of condolence poured United States. Atomic Energy Important oil and mineral General of the four North West- one of the Government's best into the United Press offices in Commission, which reported imresources in Sinklang province orn provinces. He was a leading burgaining points with the Chin- New York and Tokyo soon after portant advances in atomic wea-Israell Supreme Court To in North West China are exlempts to secure peace with the Girdens Russia in od. They were from occupation An extensive analysis for the

Mationalist peace attempts stall. Russia may scon build a forder theforic, he was untailing in his were working on the military as-Sinkland and the resources rallway to Chunuchalt, on the support of American principles pects of atomic energy new de-Child-chung was fixing home to would thus fall completely into Sinklang border, to develop tur- and American ideals.

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Sinklang border, to develop tur- and found successful and further trade and continue ideals. Valuable and largely unexploited —Reuter,



Looking something like a round of the ammunition he knew so well in the Navy, a shuttle of a tartan loom claims the interest of the Duke of Edinburgh (right) when the Duke toured the Leafleld Mills during an official visit to Bradford, one of the centres of Yorkshire's woollen textile industries. -AP Photo.

Miles Vaughn Drowns In Tokyo Bay

Tokyo, January 31. Mr. Miles W. Vaughn, United Press Vice-President, and four others died by drowning in Tokyo Bay yesterday after armies were still left in Pukow, the Japanese boat, in which and Pucheng today while the they were out duck shooting

ment plans to abandon Nanking | cer. of the 361st Station Hospital, were identified at the 49th General Hospital. They were brought to An unknown number of Pre- Tokyo together with the bodies

of two of three Japanese. the ill-fated expedition was Shipping Company of Hong Kong carrying gasoline. The ship was solving the basic differences be-Sekizo Uyeda, aged 64, former by Jebshun. President of the Nippon Dempo. The other two members of the party were the boatman, Kenji

Horluchi, and his 11-year-old son. Mr. Vaughn is survived by his wife, Inez, a son, Miles Sharman Vaughn, aged 16, and a daughter, Sharman Vaughn, aged 15, all residing in Tokyo.

Major Haddock leaves a wife and a five-year-old daughter living in Tokyo.

Before bodies were recovered, General MacArthur cabled Mr. Shamshulpo for nearly two Hugh Baille, President of United months, the Masbate went to Press, that "every available agency Haphong for a trial trip." here is being employed under my personal supervision to facilitate the search" for Mr. Vaughn and his party.

"and you may be completely as- June. She changed hands several sured that no stone will be left inturned by us."

Intensive Search

An intensive search by American planes, crashboats and Japanese sampans'began at 10 p.m. on Suriday night shortly after Mr. Vaughn's. party was reported missing, and ended early this

An air-sea emergency rescue helicopter spotted the bodies flouting off Osu, Chiba Prefecture. A crashboat recovered the four bodies and brought them ashore. Japanesa police and fishermen said they could not recall a simi-lar mishap on Tokyo Bay within ped on Hiroshima and Naga-

Beview Christ's Convice pected here to be secured by Communists.

Control Asia and is close to the personnel and Japanese alike.

Soviet Russia following the He is believed to be returning Russian Hoverbirsic Tashkent General MacArthur sent a mes—cently at Enliveted proving to Sinkling disappointed with railway, linking up with the saign to Mr. Hugh Baillie in New grounds in the Pacific proved that The minerals may include South to Canton obtained, the mente for his province with Sinklang, which, hitherto, would dem American Journalism, Four-gress, the Childese Communists and to India. [New Mexico] less in his reporting, objective in At Los Alamos (New Mexico). Boyles Reals highly the final it is thought possible here that his vision and brilliant in his laboratory, where 2,700 people

aympathy.'---United Press. gress.---Rould'.

Portuguese Freighter, Chinese Steamer Collide Near Swatow

Radio messages reaching Hong Kong at dawn yesterda reported that the Portuguese freighte. Aasbate and the Chinese steamer Hsiang Hsing collided 10 miles off Tung Yung Island, between Amoy and Swatow.

The messages came from the Chinese ship, which requested aid: In a later report the Hsiang Hsing said that she was picking up seamen. from the Portuguese ship.

She was endaged, for a con-

siderable length of time in the

intra-island trade in the Philip-

refit. Measuring 180 feet by 28

feet, she is a 742-ton freighter

and can do nine knots.

to sink her.

to Swatow.

two-deck construction,

Jebshun Shipping Company, flag. said they had not received any communication from their vessel, but were informed by pines, before she was sold to

No damage or loss of life was mentioned in the radio reports. the newly-overhauled Portuguese at Macae, the Mashate was the was that the statement did not freighter, which was recently target of an American air attack, change the picture much or offer One of Vaughn's companions on Lought from the South China, when she was believed to be any concrete suggestions for

> Formerly on the Haiphong- After the war she was sold and Hong Kong run, the Marbate left re-sold to some Chinese firms. Shing I Chow, Korea, with 200 ly and sent her for refitting. tons of general cargo for Pao guese master, Mr. I. do Lemos.

The crew and the master were recently engaged from Hong with a beam of 45 feet She has a Kong and Macao." After underwing refltting at

Built At Dundee

Hullt at Dundee in 1895 and "Everyone is greatly distressed," flying the Red Ensign originally, General MacArthur's cable said, the Machate was then called the times, and subsequently flew the Panamanian flug at one time, the Stars and Stripes, the Chinese

Possesses Super Atom Bombs

Washington, January 31. America now has super atom bombs greater in explosive power than those drop-.

Proposals

London, January 31. The Foreign Affairs Committee of the Cabinet is expected to study at o n'c e Generalissimo Stalin's declaration in favour of a peace pact, in a statement to an American news agency in Moscow.

The full Cabinet is not likely to discuss it until it has been assessed in exchanges between

London, Washington and Paris. The reaction of many political observers was that the statement, if implemented by practical Sovict moves, reflected a modification of policy, essecially significant in connection with the recent Western power decisions.

Political Interest, though noting Stalin's expressed willingness for peace talks with President Truman, is focussed mainly on his reference to conditions on which the Eerlin blockade might be

tion to the idea of mutual nonaggression declarations and peace pact discussions between that country and the Soviet It was felt that at present; any

Most observers preferred net to

predict the United States reac-

new chapter in the relations of the great powers of the East and West must hinge on Germany.

Russian-View

Many Russians, today regarded Generalissimo Stalin's pence pact offer to incet President Truman as one cfline most important doclarations over made by the Sohope on the political horizon, they believed.

The immediate reaction of one Russian man in the street was: The owners of the Masbate, flag and now the Portuguese President Truman obviously cannot reject such a peace ges-

The United States and other foreign diplomats were not preno indications to support the The bodies of Mr. Vaughn and the Marine Department of the Wallem and Company in 1940, pared for the Stalin statement speculation that the Govern- Major T.R. Haddock, dental offi- accident. man suld that he would need time to study the exact text before commenting.

This is the first trip North of .- During the war, while she was |- The first reaction, he added, damaged but not seriously enough tween the two countries, includ-

ing those on Germany. It was assumed here that if the Colony on January 28 for Jebshun bought her over recent- Premier Stalin met Mr. Truman, a basis for discussion would be The 'Hsiang Hsing was also found on the Soviet side in the Shan Hong. She carried no pas- built at Dundee, in 1930. Former- proposals made by Mr. Henry. sengers, hesides her all-Chinese ly the ss. Iris, then ss. Charon, Wallace, United States Progrescrew of 47; headed by the Portu- She was on this occasion en route sive Party leader and former | Secretary: . of . Commerce, in a The Lislang Hsing is a 2,825- letter to Mr. Stalin last May.ton steamer, measuring 306 feet Reuter.

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Mr. F. W. J. Skutil has been appointed a Marine Magistrate with effect from January 28. He has also been appointed to act as

Committee . Mr. A. St. George Walton has been appointed to act as Quartering Authority with effect from February 1. He has also been appointed to be the Competent Authority for the purposes of the Price Control (Hotels) (Control of Charges) Regulations

with effect from February 1.

Half Price, \$9.50 set. on January 17.

> been appointed to act as Senior of the LST, one and a half miles (201005) Health Officer with effect from offshore.
> The plane was apparently not

Duncan George died. McPherson and Sub-Inspector | Huntley, with about 80 com; Superintendents of Police with nlong to pick them up. effect from February 1.

Inspector with effect from Janu- nearby. It was apparently one of ary 21.

Relinquishment of his commist toutist said.

sion in the Hong Kong Volunteer Huntley flew to Japan three

Mr. Tso Chi-on and Mr. Led Kim-bun have been appointed to he asserted. He declined to disbe Assistant Superintendents in close his brist mission.

Mr. Josa Isaura Him Molica has those in transit to Shanghai, sale p.m.
been provisionally recognised as Yokohama and the United States Legislative Council meeting, 2.30
Vice Consul for Papama at Hong are a number of Japanese with Kong. Mr. Molica assumed charge American passports, several Inc.
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Kong's Weather Welcome Change To APL Passengers

(By Our Harbour Reporter) Passengers on board the ss. General Gordon com-ing from torrid Manila found Hong Kong's winter weather a pleasant change on their arrival hore yesterday.

The majority of them are seeing the Colony for the first time

The Sea Lions have one com-plaint. We suffered from the mosgoitoes and the heat," a

Heat Affects Play

Successful candidates from a

America as "pensionados" of the

orientation course at the United

There are at present 18 pen-

Heading the group of students

sionados, still in America. Forty-

Rehabilitation Act.

Coming from San Francisco Jackie Robinson, the first negro and Manila, they include a to join the Major League in victorious all-Negro baseball American baseball, played at one team, returning to the United time for the Sea Llots. States; 20 "pensionados" of the Philippine Fishery Programme en route to the Alameda Maritime Training School, a high- player said. ranking official of the International Labour Office, Geneva, and a youthful ex-GI tourist.

Eponsored by Mr. Chick Par
sons, Philippine Baseball Commissioner and President of the Manila Bay Baseball League, the won. They lost the two when all-Negro Sea Llons are the first playing against two of the islands' team to visit the Orient since the weak teams, but bent one of days of Habe Ruth, back in 1932. them later. The team they tied Chosen from among 15 leading was beaten twice later. American major professional teams, the Sea Llons won 14 ing their seven-week stoy in nation are now en route

Their last, game against the Philippine Fishery Programme.
Filipino All-Stars, which they They were among the 64 who wen, was broadcast under the passed in November last year, suspices of the American Presi- The fourth batch to be sent out dent Line to Hong Kong listeners they will undergo a six-week on January 29.... The visit was an attempt to States Maritime Training School

revive the game in the islands, at Alameda California, prior; to which has degenerated since the their assignment to various fish-Liberation. The trip was esti- ing centres in America. mated to cost US\$30,000. The returns from the gates, however, The team is headed by Wayne three have already returned and Carr, manager and pitcher, who are now employed in various was presented with a souvenir Government fishing projects. This gold wrist watch for a shut-out batch, will increase the list of in the first gome of the series. trainees who have studied in

also won a gold wrist watch for tional League, the Sea Lions stood pology among the top-ranking majors. They payed 109 games in

Canada, exico and the United pore, the Philippines and Japan disturbing traffic, and with firing winning 92 and losing to find an appropriate site for the after 4 p.m., the time limit set by three games. The rest were ties. next Asian Regional' Labour the Police for the discharge of Raghynoth Rab, Assistant Direc-

Labour Office, Geneva. Mr. Rao, accompanied by his with gambling. Mr. B. C. K. Hawkins, Commis- assistant, Mr. P.S. Narasimha, Lai Hoi, aged 60, Wong Fat- the money for Tang, expecting allow them, and their authority, to sioner of Labour, has been ap- and his secretary. Miss Ruth Gor- cheung, aged 30, and Chan Fat- that he would come and collect be treated with contempt. pointed to act as Secretary for don, attended the Kandy Asian kam, aged 36, were entertaining it before the Chinese New Year. Where was the noble squad of hotel rates, which are naterally ex-

tor General of the International

He will visit Japan, and fly raided the premises. back to Geneva, where he will submit his report. Mr. Rao has fined \$300 heing the keepers of "egen!" had already been there Chairman of the Port Executive been with the Geneya organisa- tue gaming house. Six others for and collected HK\$400. tion for 18 years and was ap- | feited their bail of \$20 each, and pointed assistant director a year the remaining nine were fined \$15, when arrested. The rest he had

He began his Ear East in November last year.

Undisclosed Mission

On an undisclosed mission, 22year-old former GI Lawrence Mr. R. S. W. Paterson will cease after a brief visit to Japan and Lam told the court that he had to act as Quartering Authority Manila. The young American had only \$50. The magistrate was Mr. A. D. Scholes' appointment days of the Okinawa invasion. the prosecutor's beach with a as Magistrate has been approved His LST which was ferrying alle of bank-notes. The fine reby the Secretary of State for the troops, maintenance equipment incined at \$100. Colonies. Mr. Scholes arrived here and trucks from Guam to the already-beached island, and was sunk by a Kamikaze plane which Dr. G. Graham-Cumming has dashed on the foreward bulkhead

loaded on there was no explosion. Inspector Jim Johnson, Sub- Twelve of the men on the LST

Ronald Harry Woodhead have rades, swam around for nearly been appointed to act as Assistant two hours when "M" boats came Dinner in honour of Saigon "A funny thing about the in-Mr. E. C. Drown has been ap. crashed on our small LST. when pointed to act as Chief Labour there were several tigger craft

Defence Corps by Captain C. J. weeks ugo from San Francisco by Waddell has been approved by the Northwest Airline, where he dovernor. Stayed for 12 days, before leaving for Manila. "Unafficially I am on a tour,"

the Hang Kong Police Reserve More than 270 pastengers dis-with effect from January I. | embarked here yesterday, in-cluding 60 foreigners. Among

The name of Dr. Hwe Yee hain filter the vessel's departure to make hear added to the Register of Medical Practioners. He is qualifical to practice medicine and surgary approach. The manes of Drs. Liang Pow-kan and Liang Pao-taing liave also been added in the Register.

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Her Royal Highness Princess Margaret was present. "at a Gala Performance of the ballet "Coppelia" at the London, Casine recently, in ald of the Denville Hall, home for siged actors and actresics. The Princess is shown arriving at the London Casino for the Gala Performance.

For These Men

games, lost two and tied one dur- compatitive civil service exami- At least 246 men ended the Lunar New Year celebrations in the Kowloon Police Court yester-

> Two hundred of them sobered up before Mr. A. D. Scholes on charges of gambling and setting off fire-crackers outside the prescribed hours.

> > tablishment.

the Wing On shop to settle ac-

Lee still had HK\$352.50 on him

The term of four weeks' hard

labour and expulsion was passed.

Policeman s

Work

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the little girl and she lost him

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deportation.

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money by false pretences.

More than 100 were charged with gambling. Sixty were arrested in a raid by DSI Summers and a police party on the servants' quarters of the Peninsula Hotel.

A variety of gambling paraphernalla and \$424 in "table" money were seized during the raid. Four of the defendants, convicted of being the keepers of the

den, were each fined \$300. others were Oned \$20 each

A number of men were charged with seiting off five-cruckers in a Touring Ceylon, India, Singa- way, endangering pedestrians and Conference to be held tentatively fireworks. They were each fined in January next, year, is Mr. | \$15 or five days' imprisonment,

Gambling Raids Forty-six others were charged

Chinese Affairs, with effect from January 21.

January 21.

Mr. Robert Hart has been appointed to be Development Officer from January 17.

Pointed to act as Secretary for Chinese Affairs, with effect from Regional Conference of Labour 15 others at a game of "Sam Chinese lunary 28, the last day of the Chinese lunary 28, the last tive-Corporal Wu Chung-chi That very night, Tang came to nuisance?

Lai, Weng and Chan were each counts and was told that his cuch. "Table" money of \$59.10 spent on food and buying himself tour was ordered to be donated to the a new suit of clothes.

release from court... Fined \$100 by Mr. Blair-Kerr. Huntley is returning to Kansas for operating a gambling stall. a narrow escape when serving in considering whother to reduce the

Bridge Drive, European YMCA 8,30 p.m.

Soccer Team, HK Hotel, cident is that the Kamikaze plane Union Church management committee, meeting, Jardine's board room 5.30 p.m.

Urban Council meeting. Bldg., 4.15 p.m. HK-Rotary-Club-lunchdon-Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12,30 p.m. Socoer: Salgon vs. Non-Chinese. Caroline Hill, 3.30 p.m.

Coming Events

HK Football Referees Associa-

p.m. Y's Men's Club, talk on "My Trip to Japan" by Mr. K. S. Fung. Hoof Garden HK Hotel, 12.46

K University Arts Association presents The School for School for Scandal at Eu Tong Sen Grangsium, 6.30 p.m.
Rowloon Rotary Club luncheon, Petitaula Hole, 12.80 p.m.
Chungil of Social Services,
lecture on Children Deprived
at Home by Miss F. H.
Lastord, Public Relations
Citch, Lecture Room, 8.80

CORRESPONDEN

The Editor takes no responsibility for views expressed in letters by correspondents, and by no means necessarily agrees

Public Nuisance

nabitants of Hong Kong belong payers.
nominally—to the Big Pive 5. That we dislike seeing Bri-Powers; they are, thus, supposed tish ex-servicemen dismissed from to have reached years of discrethe service of the Government tion and to be able to take their whilst their places are taken by place in the comity of nations, allens, with no technical qualifica-But have they grown up? When I tions, who have not eyen become was a child I acted as a child, but naturalised British subjects.

nouncing that . cracker firing will rejected. allow their authority to be openly that everything possible would be flouted by all and sundry? And if done to utilise the services of local authority can be treated with such men in Government. Departments,

strings of crackers which signify prosches that figure. would get as a wonderful preven- which strangle the trade of the

Labour nulsance seemed worse than ever. migration is responsible for the Not only were crackers thrown in- chaotic state of the Colony today. discriminately in the streets at 11. That we resent seeing a Unable to find employment people, and from vehicles, but also Colony which has all the intural and hard pressed for money, from, and actually on the Ferries. amenities and which, under an Lee Hoi went to the Wing On As an obvious stranger was over efficient administration, could have pig dealers at 242 Des Voeux heard to remark. I always under been made one of the show places the fourth home run. For the most triples, Luther Braniam candidates is Mr. Hilarlo Castro ple Street, 29 men were arrested. In the United States Internation of Fishery Tech- days' imprispriment.

Heading the group of students of the stud has transactions with the es- precious little order".

On January 21, when Tang firing can be hanned absolutely, Pak-sum, pig trader, was coming and here not the slightest pretence down to Hong Kong from Wu- is made even to control it within chow with 23 pigs, he became the stated bounds? It is an abacquainted with Lee and in casual solute disgrace to the police conversation told him about his Department that they should The pigs were delivered to the turned into a bediam just Wing On pig dealers and on the amusement of, perhaps, 1% of

for Forty-six others were charged Wing On pig dealers and on the amusement of, perhaps, 1% of relieve the housing situation for before Mr. W.A. Blair-Kerr January 26, sold for Hills2,000, the population. Still more so that the general public. The accountant, Kwan Nam, kept they should issue orders and then

Sir,—It is indeed a happily for-

tuitous circumstance which permits Such was the story told by the presence in Hong Kong of Lam Fat, aged 20, might have Diciertive Sub-Inspector D.S. Captain L. D. Gammans, M.P. sayed \$50 were it not for the an- Roberts before Mr. Hin-shing Lo whose appeal in his speech before xiety of his relative to obtain his at Central yesterday when Lie the Rotary Club in behalf of the was charged with obtaining Volunteer Defence Force on the basis of the defence of the Empire is likely to mest with considerably more favourable response than have the appeals of those who have tried to sell us the idea of the successful defence of the Colony by ty for the relief of the housing this pathetically inadequate Force, situation. and Mr. S. H. Evans who, we are 17. That the few officials we told, is visiting the Colony for the have in this Government who are purpose of nompiling a report honestly interested in the future upon the affairs thereof for the of the Colony are fettered by rededification of the Secretary of tape and the need for constantly

The excellent work of Li State for the Colonies, at a time avoiding stopping on the toes of Man-ngai, PC1371 in catching when the incorporation of the Rea shatcher was commended by These gentlemen have come a men, but every word of it, and form Club is announced. the court when Leung Fai was long way to learn the truth about more, can be proven from Govcharged before Mr. Hin-shing our island dictatorship and may ernment's own files. Lo at Central yesterday with perhaps wonder what has inspired . But fell them also, that whilst

the formation of the Reform Club, the aponsors of the local end of On Sunday afternoon a nine- and it seems only fair that they the Empire Defence Force scheme year-old girl was going with her should be given an opportunity to have been amable. as was Mr. sister and mother to now visits, garner a little material upon which Attres in his recent; upbeal, to heing the second day of the to base their reports to the Gov- point in anything which has been first moon of the Chinese New ernment and the people at Home, Laccomplished by Government for So, Gentlemen, when folks at the banefit of the taxpayor since Near, the Ko Shing Theatre at Home ask you why we are so bitter the war, we are still very conscious Queen's Road West, a man sud- in our comments and why we dis- of our duty towards the Empire. denly came from behind and play so little enthusiasm for the even if our sense of duty towards forcibly stripped her of a gold Defence Force scheme, tell they this Colony has been blunted by

presentatives of the carpayers, of shall not be found wanting in which are out-numbered and out- loyalty but that we feel that the voted by the Official Members i.e. ends of the Empire would be bet-Li Man-ngai, attached to the Government employees, who sre ter served by the formation of a TOMORROW
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Empire War Damage Insurance scheme was rejected by the local Sir,—Once again, as in past Government without reference to years, we have had to endure the those who lost their homes and all serve-racking and illegal cracker they possessed and then, after the firing. One or two thoughts on war, saw the Home Government's this matter come to mind. The vast majority of the in without reference to the tax-

now I am a man "I have put away. B. That, we have seen Govern-:hildish things", evidently does not ment servants dismissed without explanation and under circum-The second thought, and most stances which leave them open to important one, is why do the Police suspicion of corruption, whilst atcontinue the farce of spending the tampts by the Press to elicit, in-

only be permitted at stated times 7. That despite the Home Govand in stated places, and then ernment's oft reiterated statement utter contempt in one case, why locally recruited. Britons whilst not see in it can be ignored in an performing duties comparable other case?—which is just what with those of Home-based men, who are in receipt of basic As for as superstition goes, no salaries of \$1,000 and up, are ofnation can throw stones at another: | dered permanencies at the princely we all live in glass houses. By all salary \$400 basic, and Chinese are means allow, if it must be, those lucky if their total salary ap-

the final balancing of books, and B. That we resent seeing a deother age-old occasions, but at de- mand for an investigation into the cent hours. But absolutely forbid | working of the Department of Supthe cracker-throwing by half-wits plies, Trade and Industries, made and morons, which goes on night by an Unofficial Member at the and day at all the so-called pro- 1948 Budget Meeting, over-ruled. hibited hours and in prohibited | 9. That we are fired of having places. Not only prohibit it, but Government enter into unreciprocal mote out stern and immediate jus- treation with China which cast tice and punishment to all law- upon the Colony the onus of adbreakers - half a dozen of the best ministering China's Law and

10. That Government's: Inertia This year this unmitigated in the matter of uprestricted im-

12. That we are tired of inefficiency and corruption in Government Departments

18. That in the last twelve \$4.000,000 . spent in providing apartments for only twenty-six Government employees, with other be spanding for the same nurpose, whilst nothing has been done to

14. That after appointing a

assertion that the value of land utilised in the construction of dwellings for Government servants cannot be taken into account when computing costs, taxpayers are denied the right of purchasing land by Private Treaty at a reasonable figure but are instead, forced to purchase at public auction, a system which so far increases costs that construction is

placed beyond the means of the Average wage carner. 16. That despite the fact that it is illegal, no effort has been made to stamp out the pernicious "Keymoney" racket or, apart from an initial seizure of thirty-five dwellings, to regulation vacant proper-

Privilege. A sweeping indictment, Gentle-

bungle she was wearing on her 1. That we are tired of govern- repeated instances of Government's right wrist. She went after the ment by a Legislative Object the lack of interest in the welfare of snatcher but he was too fast for unofficial Mambers, the abundant rethe man-in-the-street, and we

BARGAINS FOR THE HOME

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POLICE INSPECTORS DISCUSS GOVT'S ACTION

Club Beat

Rest At

Rugby

In a hard game at Sockun-poo on Saturday, Club (Win-

ners of the Rugby Quadran-gular Tournament) defeated

the Rest of the Colony by nine

From the kick off Club were

quickly on the move. Henderson

play to within 10 yards of the

Rest line. However Rest for-

wards came to the rescue with a grand footrush which took play.

to centre simply because Club

haives and backs failed to fall on

Club were moving fairly well

but Lochlans passing was slow

and inclined to be erratic; over-

eagerness almost led to the un-

doing, of Rest a penalty kick for

A clever bout of inter-passing

by Henderson and de Rome on

through by Nolan was stopped

Henderson made ∙no mistake

with a second penalty against

Rest forwards, to put Club three

Notan was opening up play

well but his defence was shaky

much of it being left to Warne;

which he had overcome since the

on to the ball and being caught in

A period of strong pressure by

It was now getting on for hali

backs, were unable to break

through Rests defence and per-

sisted in passing the ball out to

their wings in very pretty bouts

play to the other side of the field;

kicks shead on to a far from

steady Rest full back would have

the only one to show any initia-

in the loose but their halves made

little attempt to open up the

game, Cook's laboured service

leading to their backs taking the

further scoring before half time.

Had Bad Luck

the picture with a series of at-

to 6 pts, the goal kick failing.

Milne were doing their best to

rally the Rest but their backs just

could not get going and persisted

in kicking to touch when they

did gain possession, Cook being

n particularly bad offender in

at the corner flag. Club took

play to centre where, from a

scrum Nolan got his backs mov-

line to Cessford who immediately

changed the direction of the

who was trying to cover up; the

and backs proved to be anything,

missing with the difficult kick.

by Commander Perry

but mire defence.

Tulip, the Rest wing three-

this respect.

tive in this respect.

words being short.

just short of the line.

points ahead.

possession.

points to nil.

Government's recent action in notifying 12 police officers that their services are to be terminated at the end of July was discussed at a meeting of members of the inspectorate at the Central Police Station canteen on Sunday, A resolution to seek legal aid and advice was unanimously passed and a sub-committee was formed to go into the matter.

closed that Government has spectorate. other members of the Force in Therefore, legal advice should be taken to pro-

Short

Visit

Air Marshal Sir Leslie N. Hollinghurst, Inspector-Genornl of the Royal Air Force, has arrived in Hong, Kong on tour of RAF stations in the For Fast.

Sir Leslie arrived here on Sunday in his private plane. He is due to leave for Singapore today on his return to the United King-

During his stay in the Colony, Sir Leslie is the guest of Air

Air Marshai Hollinghurst was pensionable establishment. previously a member of the Air! Council for Supply and Organisa- , the 'men concerned recently refor British airborne operations in lance of duty were not at fault. the Normandy landings on "D"

sursequently, he was Air Offic pilot observer during the war. Services was relieved by a free cer Commanding Buse Air Force, He had previously submitted his kick against their forwards for South East Asia, with headquar- resignation. It was, however, re- offside, ters at New Delhi.



malter catlett - Franklin Pangborn

At the meeting it was dis- tect the remainder of the in-

not yet given any explanation | Main object of Sunday's meet-for its action. Views were ing was to find a way to clear expressed that similar action may be easily taken against other members of the Force in the public as a result of Government's action, and to eliminate any misunderstanding that may with a short kick ahead taking have orisen.

Approach To Local Firms

It was also decided to approach local firms, for employment with accommodation, for the officers whose services will be terminated lat the end of July. Police officers originally from the United King doin. Palestine and Shoughal attended the meeting.

At the meeting it was said offside against their wing forthat the officers concerned who came from the United Kingdom Eighted five-year agreements before leaving the United Kingdom. On their arrival here the | the left wing, following a fine cut agreement was changed to four-year contract three of the years being termed as the "probation period."

If proved satisfactory, they were to continue for the fourth Commedore and Mrs. Davies at year, at the completion of which they would be placed on the

The meeting was also told that Franklin was showing a tendency, tion. As Air Officer Commanding ceived increments, which proved early part of the season, to hang No. 38 Group, he was responsible that their conduct and perform-

One of the 12 officers was a fused, the meeting was told, Another officer had served in the Police Force in England for 10 time and Club pack were debefore joining the Hong finitely on top; however their Kong Police Force. PRINCES LAND 14 11 11 11 11 11

----Estimate Of HK Population

Hong Kong's population is, estimated at 1,800,000 by the Department of Statistics. in 1947 the Department of Supplies, Trade and Industry estimated the population at 1.750.000.

When Hong Kong was liberated in September 1945, the population was less than 600,000. By the middle of 1946 . It had Increased to between 1.500,000 and 1,600,-000, according to an estimate then by the Department of Supplies, Trade and Indus-

The last official consus was taken in March 1931. The population of the Colony then was 840,437. The previous census figure in April 1921 was 625,116.

A census taken by Air Raid Wardens in March 1941 placed the population figure at 1,869,357, including an estimated 600,000 refugees.



With two pieces of glass rod and a blow-lamp, Istvan Komaromy makes some of the most exquisite figures of men and animals, and is probably the greatest artist in glass in the world today. Some of his work is displayed in the Victoria and Albert Museum, Kensington. London, and is in great demand by tourists to Britain, particularly American visitors.

Canucks Triumph VRC Team

(By "GRANDSTAND") -

the week-end Senior Loop pennant chase, Canucks played inspired ball behind Kassa Nazarin's steady hurling to nudge VRC out of position with an 8-5 triumph.

Joey Franco was the losing pitcher in that crucial tilt but made up for the poor showing with a brilliant 4-hit performance to enable Portugal to eliminate China 7-1 in the International Series

tain, the perennial rivals Por-India) will battle for International honour in the Finals.

In the minor loop, the Jolting Jaguars battered Viking moundsman Josey Ribeiro for five blows to register a 6-2 win. Mohawks of passing which simply took and Rexes granted walk-overs to Black Hawks and Rangers, in the girl's exhibition game, the Baby Wahoos upset the Squaws 19-15 in a five-inning contdst. paid dividends but Henderson was l

VRC played listless ball for six full frames before they got Rest forwards were dangerous out of a lethargic spell to avert n shut out at the hands of the Canucks, with a last inning rally that produced five runs when they bunched up four solid hits. Kassa Nazarin's perfect ball

ball standing still. There was no control was largely responsible for the Maple Leaf triumph, for although he yielded nine safeties, game. no free tickets were issued to first base. VRC slabster Joey Franco was nicked for eight blows half, resumed at full back, and walked three in an erratic Cessford taking his place on the

Charlie Figuercido's run-makleft wing. Rest now came into had bad luck in not getting over; II potential runs were left strandtheir forwards were playing ed, but timely hitting by ! the grand open football but were Canucks only left five on the lilypoorly supported by their backs. path in spite of the fact that they

A quick heel from a scrum were outhit. near centre saw Nolan go through in a swerving run towards the Bunn of the Canucks, shared bat- and only allowed four scratch to start. ting honours, each connecting for | singles. Portugal executed two left and omitting Henderson, three safeties in four batting at- | win-killings which were outthrow out a long pass which was tempts, while distance blows were standing for sheer fielding brilcleanly taken by Cessford who went over to increase Club lead registered by Charlie Quihn with liance. a homer and Herbie Quen with a . In addition to poling but a three-base hit. Dalglish, McClement and Ross

game of the season, dished up a with the stick by returning four scintillating exhibition at the key- hits in as many times at but. stone where he fielded five rasp- China notched up their only ing grounders neatly and tossed tally of the fraces in the lith, the runner out at first base. In when Low Chung-san worked addition, the Conuck Flash chased Franco for a walk. S.C. in two mates at the critical mo- bunted sufely and a double steal ment of the game with a two-ply placed runners on second quarter, had a grand run only to blow.

VRC Threatens

be bundled into touch by de Rome VRC threatened in the very first frame when Igmar Erikson singled, but falled to cross the pay-off on the slab for Great, Britain ing, the ball travelling across the station which his mates failed to winhusacture a hit. In the Canuck as Pakistan worked starting half with two hway, Herbie Quon pitcher Al Smirko for five runs hi the Hotel Riviera on Sunday which was followed up by Warne | respect out a scorcher that went | Smirke steadled down in the for three bases, and Bill Woo's second frame and only allowed and Bowman who worried Cook safety through the Hot Corner drove in the first run of the ball eventually went looso for Warne to touch down, Taylor just !

had minners on base. But tight Rest: began attacking in carnest nelding entified all attempts to fin sixth to chalk up three runs. Prince's Building. Affiliation to after this reverse and Club halves score.

ed but Alvaro Xavier was given former blasting the ball over the ing. Several dattacks were held a life on a wild heave and it look- fence while the latter whole h despite the fact that Rest for- ed as if the VRC rally was due, sizzler right over third base that wards were outplaying Club in but Alvaro over-bild sectifid base the tight and loose at this period for the second; out.

but eventually Club railled and | Eriksen connected for another Henderson, the best back on the hit and when Junior Marker MEN'S threanArionat BERIES field cut through to follow up fumbled Gus Perelin's grounder, With a splendid bout of Inter- two runners Were on habes. phisting with Cessiord only to see Charle Quinn who was expected Canadians his last pass go forward and to drive in the runners only Madespe spoil a certain try. Oversess

remainder of the line lacked With the final frame coming up lustre.

Although not up to the standard runs, mentor Charlie Figueiredo cathe Tournament games, it was called con pinch-hitler George Sainders who ignited the fuse to tested game, admirably handled on explosive final try by slicing of India international Associate.

By virtue of the Pakistan Ihase. The ball was headed 11-3 victory over Great Bri- distant places but a spectator foolishly blocked the ball and tugal and Pakistan (formerly Saunders was only entitled to sinke second—if anyone was ever

Saunders Scores .

Saunders stands at the head of

Alvaro Kavier next rapped out a long overdue hit to drive Saunders across the break the duck, but Eriksen and Gus Pereira both failed to make first base. Two ... down and the Figueiredomen were still fighting tooth and nail; Charlie Quinn poled a clothes-line drive over the windy-alley where Junior Markar threw 'his glove at the ball and Chief Umpire Doc Molthen awarded Quinn three extra bases and the hit went into the records as a four-bagger. Kito: Hyndman popped out to end the

In the Portugual-China ternational classic, the former carned an easy 7-1 victory main- At the end of the game, the ly due to heavy power at the Shield and spoons to the winning plate, which was highlighted by team were distributed by Mrs. J. ing machine failed to function at Gerry Roza-Pereira's out-of-the- McKelvie, wife of the President tacks led by Wright-Nooth who the crucial stages of the game and park homer and Gerry Gosaho's of the Club. terrific smash through rightcentre field.

Both opposing hurlers pitched their second game in two days, competition will have a run of 10 but this time Franco had more weeks and will conclude just in Igmbr Eriksen of VRC and Luke confidence in his veteran fielders time for the Lawn Bowls League

homer for his side, left-gardener Don Robbins, playing his last Gerry Gosano had a perfect tlay

> third. Showboat Young's sacrifice to deep left scored Low although he was beared by the bullet peg. The absence of Jock Brown proved disastrous for the Libns one more run to trickle through, but went hay-wire again in the

In the next chapter both sides called in to put out the fife. Great Britain stendied down which featured homers by Dave the Hong Kong Football Associa-In the third, Joey Franco whill- Leonard and Solly Saul, the tion will be discussed at the meet-

> ended up at the fence. WEEK-END SCORES AT. A COLANCE

spoil a certain try.

Nolan, de Rome until injured, and Cessford did well in attack and Cessford did well in attack the Club forwards was fover.

The Canadians staged their big inning in the third when Luke day; Carrel, Warne Bowman and Bulin Bropped a bunt that company of the forwards played stand football with Milne, Busin But Alvaro Kayler's grand football with Milne, Biglish and Wright Nooth West and Illegal batting but Alvaro Kayler's Ranger 7 Rexes of the fore. Their backs were however a disappointment—Cook and Rightards were not a success.

But for spasmodic bursts the were not a success.

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With the final frame coming up lustre.

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With the final frame coming up lustre. Chung IIwa

"It has always been the carnest endeavour of the members of your committee to welcome and entertain sporting teams, prominent personages and other organisations from the Philippines," said Dr. V. N. Atienza, Chairman of the Filipino Club at the annual

meeting on Sunday.

Proposing the adoption of the simual report and statement of accounts, Dr. Attenza said the Club is in a for healthler condition than if has ever been be-

The main source of income during the past year, he sald, was derived from donations and mis-ceilancous receipts which, as his hearers would paree, was far from vestisfactory, and one which could not be relied upon!

Campaign For More Asking the members to campaign for more members, the Chairman said, "The monthly subscription of \$3, a paltry sum, is the lowest of all sporting clubs in the Cothe Club is that all Filipings in

the Colony become enrolled as members." Referring to the sporting activities of the Club, the Chairman said that the committee have always tried to put the Club on the sporting map of the Colony, and that the Club was proud of the achievement of its bowlers in the International Lawn Bowls, The Club's team came second to the Pakistan rink, "the mighty-Omar

brothers," by the narrow margin of two shots. On the proposal of Dr. Atlenza, and seconded by Mr., R. J. Manoinc, Mr. Baja, the Philippines Consul, was elected Patron of the

After Dr. Atienza (President), Mr. R. J. Manalae (Vice-President), Mr. R. S. Castro (Hon. Secretary) and Mr. I. S. Castro (Hon. Treasurer), had been reelected en bloc, the following members of the committee were elected: Messrs. F. Gonzalds, S F. Angeles, J. Cotton, W. V. Field, W. C. Ogley, and P. J. Tonochy.

Hall's Rink Wins KBGC Trophy

Eleven rinks took part in the "Annual Attaboy Shield" competition played at the KBGC for their members. The game resulted in a win for the rink skipped by veteran A. J. Hall who at the end of the game finished with 28 shots on the His rink was composed of R.J.

Wigginton, A.R. Warren, L. Guy and Hall. G.E.F. Thompson's rink finished second with 12 shots. His other three front | men were A In- Hutton, F. Moodie and C.J. Nor-

... Beginning mext Saturday, the KBGC-will be holding their winter wappingshaw competition . The

first post-war Interport and Hong Kong, played at Macao on Sunday, ended in a draw, both sides scoring twice.

Lt. Cdr. Aitken opened the scorbefore half time, Macao equalised. Fowler put Hong Kong ahead again in the second half, but with 10 minutes to go, Macao obtained the equaliser. .

The players were introduced to the Governor of Macao before the start of the grane. A dinner in honour of the visitors was given

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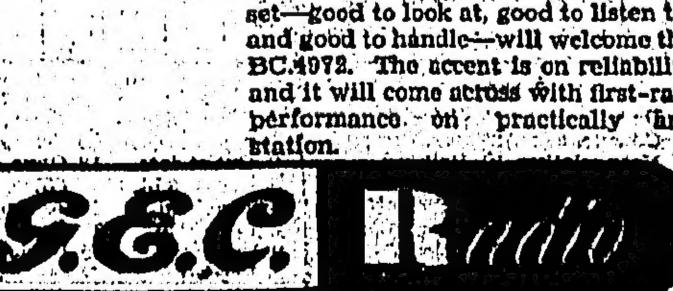
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have now been filled. The Re-

fore be closed until recruiting

A further announcement will

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The Management wish to

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THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

ORDINARY YEARLY GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, 1 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on Saturday the 5th. day of March, 1949, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving and considering the reports of the Directors and of the Auditors and the Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet for the year ended 31st. December, 1948, and for the election of Directors and the appointment of Auditors.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Friday, the 18th. of February to Saturday the 5th. of March, 1949 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered. for \$3.50, at Ye Olde Printerle,

A. MORSE. Chief Manager.

NOTICE

COMPANIES (Reconstruction Records) ORDINANCE 1947, AS AMENDED BY **ORDINANCE NO. 29 OF 1948.**

ANGLO AMERICAN STEVEDORING COMPANY. LIMITED.

Leading Book Stores and "China The above Company has during 1941-1945 lost its CHINA MAIL POSTCARD-\$1.50 Memorandum of Association CLOSING for 6 or 30 cents each. Obtainable and is unable to secure a copy at all leading Book Stores and thereof and it is accordingly proposed to adopt a new BCRIBBLING PADS-100 pages Memorandum pursuant to the provisions of Section 9 of the abovementioned Ordinance. A copy of such proposed new Memorandum may be inspected | inclusive. at the Company's registered office situate at No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, by any member or creditor of the Company during usual business hours. If any person, firm or corporation has any objections to such proposed new Memorandum, the nature of such objections should be stated briefly in writing and before the 4th March, 1949, filed with the Registrar of Companies, Supreme Court, Hong Kong, with an address for service within the Colony of such person, firm or cor-5.45 p.m. in the Jacobean Room | poration objecting.

> Dated the 14th day of January, 1949.

WILKINSON & GRIST.

Solicitors for the abovenamed Company.

NOTICE THE HONG KONG REEL CLUB

The Annual Dance of the Hongkong Reel Club will take place in the Gripps on Tuesday, 22nd February, 1949.

Will all members and their BOTTLE BRUSHES friends wishing to attend please J & J BABY OIL, SOAP, ETC. contact the Secretary.

MRS. J. SHEWAN, Hon. Secretary, c/o The Chartered Bank.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Saturday, 12th February, 1949, follows:-(weather permitting) may be Club House, Happy Valley; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 3rd February, 1949.

> By Order. C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

THE "STAR" FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS ORDINARY YEARLY MEET-

Notice is hereby given that the Forty-seventh Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Members By. Order of the Board, of the Company will be held at the Office of Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Monday. the 28th day of February, 1949. at Noon, to transact the following business:—

- To receive and consider the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December,
- 1948. 2. To sanction a Dividend in respect of the year 1948.
- 3. To elect two Directors.

4. To appoint Auditors. OF TRANSFER

BOOKS. Notice is also given that the Transfer Books and Register of Members will be closed from the 14th February, 1949, to the 28th February, 1949, both days

By Order of the

Board of Directors. G. B. S. THOMSON.

Secretary, Hong Kong, February 1, 1949.

NOTICE

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Draft Programmes and En- NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that as from the 1st day of try Forms for the First Extra February, 1949, the undermentioned Bus Routes will be Race Meeting to be held on divided into Sectional Stages and fares will be charged as

obtained at the Secretary's Route No. 1. Star Ferry and Kowloon City. Office. Exchange Building; the Via:-Salisbury Road, Nathan Road, and Prince Edward Road.

- SECTIONAL STAGES Star Ferry and Pakhol Street.
- Pakhoi Street and Argyle Street.
- Argyle Street and Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Waterloo Road. Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Waterloo Road and
- Kowloon, City. Route No. 2. Star Ferry and Shamshulpo. Via:-Salisbury Road, Nathan Road, Laichikok Road.
 - SECTIONAL STAGES Star Ferry and Pakhol Street:
- 2. Pakhoi Street and Argyle Street.
- 3. Argyle Street and Shum Shui Po. Route No. 3. (Reserved for opening of New Route).
- Route-No. 4. (Reserved for opening of New Route). Route No. 5. Star Ferry and Ngau Chi Wan.

Via:-Salisbury Road, Chatham Road, Ma Tau Wel Road, Tam Kung Road, Prince Edward Road and Sai Kung Road.

- SECTIONAL STAGES
- Star Ferry and Austin Road. Austin Road and Kowloon Dock Gate.
- Kowloon Dock Gate and Ma Tau Kok.
- Ma Tau Kok and Kowloon City. Kowlcon City and Ngau Chi Wan.
- Route No. 6. Star Ferry and Lai Chi Kok. Via:-Salisbury-Road, Nathan Road, Tai Po Road and Castle Peak Road.

- SECTIONAL STAGES Star Ferry and Pakhol Street.
- Pakhoi Street and Argyle Street. Argyle Street and Yen Chow Street.
- Yen Chow Street and Lai Chi Kok. Route No. 7. Star Ferry and Kowloon Tong. Via:-Salisbury Road, Nathan Road, Waterloo Road.
 - SECTIONAL STAGES
- Star Ferry and Pakhoi Street. Pakhol Street and Peace Avenue.
- 3. Peace Avenue and Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Waterloo Road.
- 4. Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Waterloo Road and Kowloon Tong.

Route No. 8. Star Ferry and Kowloon Tong. Via:-Salisbury Road, Nathan Road, Prince Edward Road Knight Street, Cumberland Road and Waterloo Road.

- SECTIONAL STAGES Star Ferry and Pakhoi Street.
- Pakhoi Street and Argyle Street. Argyle Street and Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Knight Street.
- 4. Jet. of Prince Edward Road and Knight Street and Kowloon Tong.
- Route No. '9. Star Ferry and Ngau Chi Wan. Via:-Salisbury Road, Nathan Road, Argyle Street, Waterloo Road and Prince Edward Road.
 - SECTIONAL STAGES
- Star Ferry and Pakhoi Street. Pakhoi Street and Argyle Street.
- Argyle Street and Kowloon Hospital.
- Kowloon Hospital and Kowloon City. Kowloon City and Ngau Chl Wan.
- Route 10. Star Ferry and The Monument, Via:-Salisbury Road, Nathan Road, Carnarvon Road, Kimberly Road, Austin Road, Cox's Path and Jordan Road,
- SECTIONAL STAGE 1. Star Ferry and-The Monument. (One Section only). Mr. Jose Eduardo Noronha Route No. 11. Jordan Road Ferry and Kowloon City. has this day been authorised to Via:-Jordan Road, Gascoigne Road, Chatham Road, Matauwei Road, Tam Kung Road and Prince Edward Road.
 - SECTIONAL STAGES Jordan Road Ferry and Kowloon Dock Gate.
 - Kowloon-Dock-Gate-and Ma-Tau-Kok-3. Ma Tau Kok and Kowloon City.
 - Route No. 12. Jordan Road Ferry and Lai Chi Kok. Via:-Jordan Road, Nathan Road, Laichikok Road (Shumshulpo), Yen Chow Street and Castle Peak Road.
 - SECTIONAL STAGES Jordan Road Ferry and Argyle Street.
 - Argyle Street and Yen Chow Street.
 - Yen Chow Street and Lai Chi Kok. Route No. 13. Jordan Road Ferry and Ngau Chi Wan. Via:-Jordan Road, Nathan Road, Prince Edward Road and Sai Kung Road.
 - SECTIONAL STAGES Jordan Road Ferry and Argyle Street.
 - Argyle Street and Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Waterloo Road.
 - Jct. of Prince Edward Road and Waterloo Road and Kowloon City.
 - Kowloon City and Ngau Chi Wan.

SCALE OF CHARGES

ROUTE NOS. 1 TO 13 (INCLUSIVE) 10 cents will be charged for the first Sectional Stage or part thereof, and 10 cents for the subsequent Sectional Stages or part thereof (i.e., 20 cents Through Fare).

British Service Men (Army, Navy and Air Force Personnel) in uniform and children under the age of 12 years will be carried at 10 cents through fare only. Children under the age of 4 years not occupying a seat and accompanied by an adult passenger may be carried free of charge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the company reserves its rights to introduce Two Class Accommodation (i.e. First and Second Class) in the buses operated by the company, and to adjust the fares (within the rates prescribed by this Licence) at any time, upon reasonable notice being given.

MONTHLY TICKETS & SCHOOL CHILDREN TICKETS

As from the Month of February, 1949, Monthly Tickets & School Children's Tickets will be issued at \$18.00 and \$6.00 per ticket respectively; the use of such tickets are restricted to Route Nos. 1 to 13 (inclusive) only, and can be obtained as follows:-On 29th, 30th and 31st January and 1st, 2nd and 3rd February between the hours of 8.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. at

Tsim Tsa Tsui Bus Terminal Office, Kowloon, and thereafter at the Company's Office, 153 Castle Peak Road, Kowloon, during regular business hours only. School Children's Ticket entitles the holder to a maximum of 4 single journeys daily (Sundays omitted) and confined to the hours of 6.00 n.m. and 6.00 p.m. only.

School children making application for the first ticket shall produce for the Company's records a school certificate bearing his or her photograph, Monthly Tickets and School Children's Tickets are avail-

able for the month of issue only. The Company reserves the right to refuse the issue 15 Mistake. of Monthly Ticket or School Children's Ticket to any person whom they consider ineligible.

Dated the 27th day of January, 1949.

THE KOWLOON MOTOR BUS CO., (1938) LTD W. S. T. LOUEY, Manager.

By Dick Turner



"I'll have you know, sire, that serving my country turned my hair white-worrying about votes!"

BARCLAYON BRIDGE By Shepard Barclay

ODD BIDS AND SIGNALS an arbitrary or artificial mean-ONE OF THE most important ing, or used by a player with provisions of the Laws of Con- the assurance that his partner tract Bridge-not only of those will not accept it in its natural which went into effect on , the sense; such a call is not subject first of October last, but of all to penalty as an improper reprevious codes-covers the use mark; it is necessary that a conof special conventions in bidding vention so used should be fully or play. The underlying princi- understood by the other side, ple is that, if a particular bid, and players using convention lead or play by your partner call should be ready to reply conveys to you information at fully to a proper inquiry by an all different from its natural or opponent as to their meaning or accepted customary meaning, use." your opponents are entitled to Then the Law says. ... Should received the same specific it be necessary to make which an message. Otherwise you would inquiry during the auction, the

the Laws, titled "The Proprie- der to leave the table while the opponents, alteonvention in call- believes the bid means! A quesing on an unasum.convention in tion of that nature couldibe replay, they significance of which garding the meaning of an orimay not be clear to them."

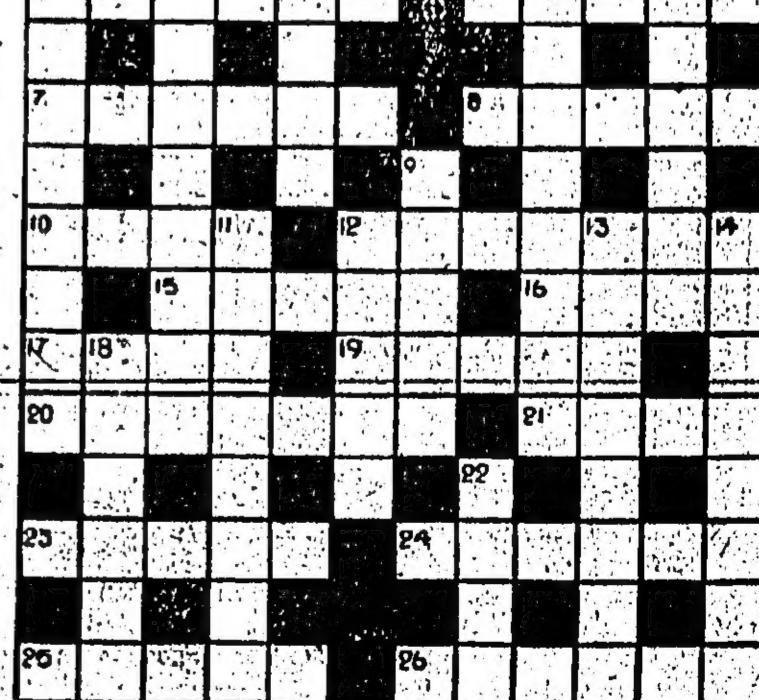
variation of it, which some play- of three, or various, other posers-might-call-"an-improvement;" sibly-ambiguous calls.

have an unfair advantage over partner of the player who has them, the same as if you delib- made the convention call should erately used a private or secret 'reply." That is important. In other words, the partner of the .The new Laws cover that bidder must tell what repecial point splendidly, clearly and information he received from fairly. The job is done in the the call, and in such cases It is last part of the final section of usually advisable to ask the bidties." Its first sentence says: | conversation goes on, so that he "It is improper to employ, with- | will not | learn anything | unau+ out explaining its meaning to thorised about what his partner ginal bid of 1-Club, or about an In other words, if you are us- opening suit bid of two when 1+ ing the Blackwood slam conven- Club is used to indicate a gention, you should tell your op- erally strong hand, or about the ponents so. If you employ some meaning of an original suit bid

such as using 4-Clubs instead of | That section of The Proprieties 4-No Trumps to ask for aces, concludes with. "The commityou should give a full explana- tee of any Association, Tournation. If in leading an honour ment or Club, or a group of peryou always lead the second card sons playing Contract : Bridge of a sequence, such as the queen max prohibit or restrict the use from king-queen, jack from of conventions which are both queen-jack, and so on, you are generally unrecognised and suffic departing from customary price clently intricate to cause unitestice and giving your partner in- sonable delay." That is just formation which unfairly helps simple fairness to the majority. your side unless you in advance whose . time ... should -not be tell your opponents about it. | wasted | inordinately | by | long= The section of The Proprieties winded and perhaps repeated continues thus: "When applied explanations which prolong the to a call, the term convention game unduly and thus detract

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Saturday's Crossword ACROSS:-3 Pinafore, 8 Turcen.

DOWN:-1 Steal 2 Brisk. 3 22 Pups, 23 Once.

Down

2 Out of date. 13 Gave up.

12 Automaton

14 Adorn

22 Replete.

18 Zenl.

1 Travel docu-

3 Legal right.

O Inco hole.

9 Bird.

11 Formal

5 Thankful.

Peasant, 44 Inns. 5 Avid, 64 9 Antidote, 11 Assessed, 12 Odours, 7 Emerge, 10 Tease, 14

Brig. 18 Gnash, 18 Tweed. 19 Aware, 15 Hearten, 15 Mosale; Onus, 22 Prorogue, 24 Affluent, 17 Suffer, 20 Agile, 21 Merry. 25 Collar, 26 Christen.

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ISRAELI SUPREME COURT TO CHRIST'S CONVICTION?

Foreign Threat To Britain?

Moscow, January 30. British commercial and industrial circles are feeling anxious in the, face of reviving Japanese and German competition on the world market, Pravda, - the Soviet Communist Party news-

paper, declared today. "The competition could become very unpleasant for British capital. After losing a considerable part of their foreign investments and their profits from shipping, the British ruling circles are frantically holding to exports as their last anchor,"

Pravda sald. British Industrialists demanded "the muzzling of the West Gorman exports by administrative measures to be taken by the occupation authorities, but Britain is no, more the master of the pituation in Western Ger-

there are the American monopolics, fintimately entangled with huge German concerns. A similar situation exists in Japan,"----Reu-

Trial Of

Washington, January 30. The Government today disclosed that it had called two Las Palmas, in the Canaries. It witnesses from Germany to added: "With the prevalling sea testify that they acted with current being South East, the Axis Sally in a Nazi radio drama possibility of this being the drift aimed at preventing the invasion of Europe,

The witnesses are scheduled to testify at the treason trial of Mildred Elizabeth Gillars, Mainemaking the wartime Axia Sally propaganda broadcasts over the Nazi radio,

The trial will be resumed on Monday after the week-end re-

The Judge and Jury already have listened, over speciallydesigned earphones, to recordings of broadcasts appealing to United troops to surrender,-United Press.

Jerusalem, January 28. An anonymous petitioner writing from Holland to-. day asked the Jerusalem Supreme Court to review the trial and conviction of Jesus Christ.

-Reuter.

The petitioner contended that The petitioner said that he was the Court which tried Christ did prepared to back his petition with not have the recognize divided in legal documents. not have the necessary jurisdic- legal documents. The petitioner said it was the tion and that Pontius Pilate exceeded his rights as military duty of the Israell Court to re- mandant of the United States governor in confirming the sen- history."

Search For Missing Supertort

London, January 30. Three United States Superfortresses left Waddington, Lincolnshire, and Marham, Norfolk, today to continue the search for the B-29 Superfortress with 15 men on board which was reported missing on a flight from Dakar, West Africa, to Britain on Thursday night.

American aircraft from all parts of Europe and Africa have been mobilised to look for the missing plane, and the Royal Air Force is also co-operating in the search. The American Air Force headquarters in London announced today that flares had been sighted last near the area where the missing Superfortress and sent out its lost message.

Ships have left Port Lyautey, French Morroco, to soarch for the !

The statement said the flares were sighted 50 miles North of position of the autvivors is very encouraging."

A constant radio signal, which, it was thought, might have come from the survivors, was picked up born American woman accused of on Friday by wireless stations at La Palmas and Rio de Oro, West Africa,—Reuter.

> New York, January 31. Monuments honouring Mohandas K. Gandhi will be crected in Washington and New York, Sirdar J. Singh, President of the India League of America, announced at memorial services held on the first, anniversary of the Indian leader's death. Associated

America Safe

Chicago, January 30. General Clifton Cates. Comverse the "greatest injustice in Marines, told a meeting of Reserve officers at Chicago that He said that a review of the there was no potential enemy in case would show that the Court the world who could threaten which tried Christ was biassed America with a land or sea atand had no legal grounds for pass- tack.

The American defences should The Israeli press said tonight be directed solely against enemy an Englishman who has lately clared. "These are the only elegone to Holland, and who recently ments which can threaten us in published a book on jurisprudence, the opening months or even years of hostilities."-Reuter.

TODAY

ing a conviction for blasphemy.

AT 2.30, 5.20,

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5.15, 7.15

& 9.15 P.M.



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12.15 p.m.—Religious Talk to Children. 12.30 p.m.-Dally Programme Summary. 12,32 p.m.-Light Variety with the Sky-

rockets Dance Orchesten. 1.60 p.m.-Light Plano Parade, 1.15 p.m .- News, Weather Report an Announcements.

1.25 p.m.-New Symphony Orchestra. 1.30 p.m.-Close Down, 6.60 p.m .- Programme Summary. 6.01 p.m.-London Studio Melodies,

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8.10 p.m.-Plano and Violin Recital by Solomon and Heifetz, 9.00 p.m .- A Story: "Shot and Powder" Written and Read by Jack Shepherd, (Studio)

9.15 p.m .- "Bright Moments" presented by Rawicz and Landauer. 9.30 p.m.-"The Fire-Lighters" a Play about Thomas Carlyle by Laurence Houseman (BECTS)

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cedure which I had adopted in

extent annul the U-boat war.

and we should be free to move

Receipt of this information in-

Frankly the charge that I have changed

plans has no possible basis in fact. The

principal effort North of the Ruhr was

always adhered to with the object of

isolphing that valuable area. Now that

can be concentrated in the Kassel area

I am still adhering to my old plan of launching from there one main attack

extended to accomplish, in conjuction

with the Russians, the destruction of the

enemy armed forces, My plan will get

the ports and all the other things on the

North coast more speedily and decisively

After sending this preliminary

message we drew up, for General

digest of our plan and dispatched

From Eisenhowever to Marshall,

The same protests except as to "pre-

I am completely in the dark as to what

the protests concerning "procedure" in-

volve. I have been instructed to deal

military co-ordination. There is no change

in basic strategy. The British Chiefs of

route because they said it would be futile

and would draw strength away from

that the Northern attack would be the

principal effort in that phase of our

operations that involved the isolation of

extending back before D-day, my plan,

explained to my staff and senior officers,

then make one great thrust to the East-

Even cursory examination of the de-

right flank will push forward along the

cedure" contained in that telegram were

communicated to me by the Prime Minis-

This, is in reply to your radio.

ter over telephone last night,

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CHINA PEACE

Indications that hopes of an early arranged peace in China will be disappointed alters nothing of importance. The Chinese Nationalist Government is on the way out and while further resistance to the Communist Southward surge is possible, such can achieve little more than delay the march of events and add further distress. Mao, then will the dispersion now urged upon Tse-tung's gains are so im- me by Wilson's message to you. mense and the country so utterly war-weary that Communist domination of China Marshall's information, a complete in the near future has to be accepted as an unavoidable consequence after over 20 years of civil war. If anything beneficial to true democratic faiths is to be saved from the wreck, this is more likely to be accomplished by the Chinese capacity for accommodating themselves to a fait accomhowever unpleasant, directly with the Russians concerning than by any attempt to fight issue out to the last staff last summer protested against my ditch. No, the point of determination to open up the Frankfurt greatest interest is that which it is at the moment Northern attack. I have always insisted difficult to analyse, namely whether the Chinese revolutionaries are more the Ruhr, but from the very beginning, Chinese than Communist, or whether the great events has been to link up the primary and now passing in front of our secondary efforts in the Kassel area and eyes means the virtual surrender of the Chinese "continent" to the Kremlin. Only this much is crystal link-up in the Kassel area is complete. clear, that Mao Tse-tung and shows that the principal effort should all of Yenan's most dynamic under existing circumstances be toward the Leipzig region, where is concentrated leaders have been thorough - the greater part of the remaining German ly indoctrinated with Mark- industrial capacity, and to which area the ist theory and Stalinist ideo- German ministries are believed to be moving. My plan does not draw Montlogy, and that Moscow is not gomery's British and Cahadian forces to likely to lose a tremendous opportunity if Mao's policy general line Hanover-Wittenberg, Merely can be effectively used following the principle that Field Marshal against the individualism of Brooke has always emphasised, I am dethe great mass of the people thrust and all that my plan does is to of China. Russian Imperialism has long had its eye on volving the advance of the cretre from China, and Communism is Kassel to the Leipzig region, unless, of merely its vehicle. Today's course, the Russian forces should be not that area. Thereafter, on this side of that area. Thereafter, that position will be consolidated while

episode in a long struggle the plan clearly shows that Ninth Army for power and possession in may again have to move up to assist the British and Canadian armies in clearing Eastern Asia. It began in the whole coast line to the Westward of 1894, when Japan attacked Lubeck. her ancient neighbour. She | After strength for this operation has beat China and occupied been provided, it is considered that we part of her territory, the can launch a movement to the Bouth-Liaotung Peninsula. But a mountain citadel. Russia, Germany and France I have thoroughly considered the naval aspects of this situation and clearly remade her get out. Three years later Russia herself cognise the advantages of gaining the annexed the peninsula and began building a railway from West to East in North- churia the Communists could ern Manchuria. Japan did never have subdued China. not forget. In 1904 she at- But though Russia threatens tacked Russia and regained to become the dominant the peninsula-and this time Power in this region, we nobody interfered. Japan must not conclude that her obtained the port of Dairen passage will be untroubled. and the naval base of Port Many races have thought to Arthur. Russia was eclips- conquer China, but none has ed, and Japan, to use a done so. Alien victors have phrase of Mr. Churchill's, themselves been absorbed began to "make hell while into the immemorial passivthe sun shone." She built ity of the Chinese. For the way from North to South. never conquer China, at DO YOU Farther and farther she least by arms. She will penetrated into Manchuria. seek to subjugate her by After the "Manchuria In- means of Communism and cident," she annexed the even this task will be neither entire country, called it short nor easy. The Chin-Manchukuo, and set up a ese are a vast, variegated puppet regime. But the tale people, and it will take years did not end there. Japan to bend them to the Marxist was on the losing side in the creed. Capitalist interests next War and was kicked in China have little need to out of Manchuria. Russia worry—at first. It took the was given "pre-eminent in- Bolshevists nearly 20 years terests" in the railways, in to fetter the Soviet peoples, Dairen and Port Arthur. and it will almost certainly Thus do power-politics work take longer to do the same

themselves out. One thing to the Chinese. But the

is certain. Without the enor, very process is dangerous, mous advantages conferred and must be vigilantly

by the possession of Man- watched

the protest immediately initiated Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's grams, beginning with a magnitude of the protest immediately initiated Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's Own Story Of The War grams, beginning with a message from General Marshal on In that mes-In Europe sage he informed me that the cerned both as regards the pro-

alissimo and with what they Northern coast line at an early date. As another point I should like to point called my change of plan. The that objective the next one to be achieved Northern Germany is not really good at British Chiefs informed Marshall after the primary throat has placed us in this time of year. That region is not the plains of North Germany be- men. Hamburg, and Kiel involves opera- in it the ground during this part of the H.K.\$72.00 cause by this means we could tions against the Frisian Islands, and year is very wet and not so favourable open German ports in the West Heligoland and extensive mine sweeping. for rapid movement as is the higher and North. They pointed out All this and operations into Denmark and plateau over which I am preparing to that this would also to a great Nofway form part of a later phase.

into Denmark, open a line of no longer a particularly important ob-From Elsenhower to Marshall, ing around of our effort.

Vocabulary:

107. (kung) gungt

108. (ta) dah²

109. (se) seh2

Combinations:

1. Gung! foo!,

2. Gungi yun..

4. Wun2 gungi.

Faan¹ gung¹.

6. Dah² gungi.

7. Dah² dzee.

9. Seh² dzee.

10. Seh² jee²

11. Shiki dzoh

13. Geeoo³ dzoh

gung¹ dzoh.

kui ah²?

yeh nehi?

ngaw lahi.

dzee ah2?.

Conversation:

12. Geeoo³ kui, m hoh²

Yau gaw³ yun wun²

Nay tseng² m tseng²

Kui shiki dzoh meet

shiki adzoh meei yeh.

Geeoo³ kui lai geen³

yun gungi nehi?

gawa yuet.

C. Gom³ sheeoo² tseen³.

Ngaw m dzoh.

Yut1 yut dzoh baat1

deem² jung¹ gung¹ foo¹

say² baak² mun¹ yut¹

"Ngaw m jeet kui

8... Dah2 jee2.

Yun gung!.

110. (shik) shik^t

111. (kiu) geeoo^a

112. (paak) baak³

BY S.K. LEE

Lesson 18

I propose, at the earliest possible mocommunication with Sweden, and jective. Its usefulness to the German ment, in conjunction with the Boviets to liberate for our use nearly 2,000,- has been largely destroyed and even his divide and destroy the German forces by 000 tons of Swedish and Norwe- government is preparing to move to an- launching my main attack from the Kasother area. What is now important is sel area straight Eastward toward the to gather up our forces for a single drive heart of what remains of the German inand this will more quickly bring about dustrial power, until that thrust has atthe fall of Berlin, the relief of Norway, tained the general area of Leipzig and and the acquisition of the shipping and including that city, unless the Russian the Swedish ports than will the scatter- advance meets us West of that point, The second main feature of the battle is

Work, Labour, Employment.

To beat. To strike. To fight.

To know how to. To recognise.

To take up employment. To be

Teil him (her) not to come.

Will you employ him?

I don't know what he can do.

Tell him to come and see me.

(You will) work for eight hours a day,

I won't work for so little money.

four hundred dollars a month.

What can he do?

To be acquainted with.

To call. To order.

Work (in general).

To look for a job.

To go to work.

employed.

Workman, Labourer.

An auxiliary verb.

Dozen.

To write.

Hundred.

Wages.

To type.

A typist.

To write.

A clerk.

bring Montgomery's forces along on the deft and as quickly as the above has been accomplished to turn Ninth Army to the left to assist him in cleaning out the whole area from Klel and Lubeck West-

After the regulrements of these two moves have been met, I will thrust rolumns South Eastward in an attempt to loin up with the Russians in the Danube Valley and prevent the establishment of a Nazi fortress in Southern Garmany.

Naturally, my plans are flexible and I must retain freedom of action to meet changing situations, Maximum firsibility will result from a concentration of maximum force in the centre. . An interesting sidelight on the

assistants. From Marshall to Elsenhower, dated March 31:

foregoing telegram is that it was

originally drafted, in my headquarters, by one of my British

British Chiefe of Staff sent from Lon-

They deny any desire to fetter the hand ly because the United States of the Supreme Commander in the field Chiefs of Staff had staunchly rebut mention wider laures outside the purvue of SCAEF (U - boat war, Swedish shipping, political importance of saving thousands of Dutchmen from starvation, Importance of move into Denmark and carliest possible cessation of hos-Uberating Norway) and request delay in the submission of further details to Denne Thead of the Military Mission in Moscow? until you hear from the CCS.

The U.S. Chiefa replied today in aubstance as follows: SCAEF's procedure in communicating with the Russians appears to have been an operational necessity. Any medification of this communication should be made by Eisenhower and not by the CCS. The course of action outlined in SCAEF plan appears to be in second with agreed strategy and SCAEF's directive, particularly in light of present de- | many had been greatly diminished velopments. Elsenhower is deploying even before we surrounded it. across the Rhine in the North the maximum number of forces which can be emp region been the targets of many ployed. The secondary effort in the Bouth is achieving an outstanding success and is being exploited to the extent of logistic capabilities. The U.S. Chiefa are confident that SCAEF's course of action will gramme designed to cut the comsecure the ports and everything else montioned by the British more quickly and Ruhr into the heart of Germany. more decisively than the course of action That operation had been markedly urged by them.

point where it is up to the Field Com- ficulty in transporting munitions mander to judge the measures which from the Ruhr to the armies still should be taken. To deliberately turn remaining in the fields. As a conaway from the exploitation of the enemy's sequence of the threats now deweakness does not appear sound. The veloping on both sides of that area single objective should be quick and complete victory. While recognising there are factors not of direct concern to SCAEF. the U.S. Chiefs consider his strategic concept is sound and should receive full sup- | withdraw their military forces for port. He should continue to communicate uso in opposing our forward adfreely with the Commander in Chief of the vances. Certainly it should have Boylet Army.

following in my final radio on the subject to General Marshall:

with ample authorisation and instructions stood in place. previously issued by the Combined Chiefs of Staff. Frankly, it did not cross my mind to confer in advance with the and Montgomery's in the North Can do it. To know how to do it. Combined Chiefs of Staff because I have dought steadily toward their apassumed that I am held responsible for the effectiveness of military operations in this theatre and it was a natural question to the head of the Russian forces Army, which was on the right of to inquire as to the direction and tim- Montgomery's army group, was ing of their next major thrust, and to more stubborn than that encounteroutline my own intentions.

> which is to establish some concrete ar- arm of our pincers swung well rangement for mutual identification of around the Eastern and North air and ground troops and to suggest a Eastern flanks of the Ruhr to meet procedure to be followed in the event our Simpson's advancing columns in forces should meet the Russians in any the vicinity of Lippstadt, near part of Germany, each with an offensive Paderborn. this question be settled quickly on a practical basis,

military soundness of what we garrison was trapped. were doing that my intimates on the staff knew I was prepared to make an issue of it.

The only other result of this particular argument was that we thereafter, felt somewhat restrict-

ed in communicating with the Generalissimo and were careful to confine all our communications dun to Combined Chiefs today their views to matters of solely tactical importance. This situation I did not regard as too serious, particularaffirmed my freedom of action in the execution of plans that in my judgment would bring about the

CHAPTER 21 OVERRUNNING GERMANY

THE INDUSTRIAL IMPORT-ANCE OF THE RUHR TO Ger-Not only had the factories of the heavy bombing raids but in February 1945 the Allied air force had initiated an interdiction promunication lines leading from the successful and we knew that the The battle of Germany is now at a Germans were having great difand because of its greatly diminished usefulness, it would have seemed logical for the Germans to been clear to the German General Later, on April 7. I included the Staff that when once the Ruhr was surrounded there would be lost not only its industries but whatever military forces might be The message I sent to Stalin was a jammed into its defences. Neverpurely military move taken in accordance theless, the Germans once again

Bradley's forces on the South ed by the First and Third Armies advancing out of the Frankfurt the mission in Russian the purpose of area. As a result, the Southern

By April 1, just one week after the Twenty-first Army Group had The outcome of all this was that crossed the Rhine in the Wesel we went ahead with our own plan. sector, the junction was complete, So carnestly did I believe in the Ruhr was surrounded, and its

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Nay bay2 gay2 daw1 ah2? How much will you give?

this picture was taken? The an-, ower is in Page

DEFENCE TALKS COLLAPSE

Russia Puts Pressure On Norway

Key To Soviet Peace Move?

London, January 30. Some British quarters today expressed more interest over the timing of Marshal Josef Stalin's statement than over their actual contents.

· They regarded Stalin's answers as a soft message to the United States. But' It came within 24 hours after a tough Moscow denuncia. tion of Western Union and a note to Norway that caused some concern.

One British s sthority said "intimidating the weak and

coaxing the strong." Britons felt that Stalin's answers did not directly concern Britain except for the statement on the Berfittle prospect that the answer on this point would lead to settlement of the blockade.-United Press.

Pay Raise For U.S. Services?

Washington, January 30. The Defence Secretary, Mr by force, James Forrestal, today approved proposals to give members of the armed services an aver Norway was not a complete surage 15 per cent pay raise and prise. It came at a psychological passed the plan along to Presi- moment in the Scandinavian dedent Truman's Budget Bureau.

chairman of American Rolling avian pact could be found. Mills. His endorsement presumably means the plan will be sent to Congress by the President.

The Secretary noted that Mr. Truman already had included an estimate of US\$400,000,000 in his fiscal budget, to cover the cost, Most changes cover retirement provisions,

Mr. Forrestal said their general effect would be to let certain groups of armed service personnel currently in the service keep their existing retirement benefits if they wish.

pay for certain types of specially risks in training or carrying out.— United Press

Labour MP Hits

Wigan, Lancashire,

Mr. Konni Zilliacus. Labour Member of Parliament tonight sources intimated Norway's anurged Britain to approach the swer to Russia will come soon Soviet Union for a settlement and that it will not be difficult under the United Nations of the to formulate. The informants did Middle East and Far East prob- not elaborate. lems jointly with interested countries like the United States.

ubomination," he declared.

Says Alliance Is Aggressive Act

Oslo, January 31. Scandinavian defence talks ended in failure yesterday after Russia applied pressure. on Norway to make a choice between East and West.

Norway, Sweden and Denmark were divided on whether to throw in their lot definitely with the Western powers. Norway wanted to join

with the west and apparently stack to it. The Russian move switched the focus of the cold war to the three Scandinavian countries, which traditionally have sought to follow a policy of neutrality in major world struggles.

"There are also sufficient

endeavouring to use the creation

Common Frontier

thening peace.

viet Union.

Soviet Ambassador S. A. also confirmed by the fact that Afanasyev asked Norway on the Atlantic Union is being set Saturday whether she intended United Nations and of by-passing to join the projected North Atlantic alliance and if she planned to grant military bases grounds for asserting that the on her soil to the Western initiators of the Atlantic Pact are

Delivery of the statement to of this new international the Norwegian authorities here grouping for purposes of laying came only a few hours after the down air force and naval bases Soviet government asserted the in various parts of the world, and North Atlantic pact now being particularly on the territory of negotiated in Washington is in- states which are close to the tended to establish American- frontier of the Soviet Union: british domination of the world which by no means testifies to

Soviet Squeeze

The Russian squeeze on Soviet monitor. fence talks.

After those talks were con-Mr. Forrestal announced that cluded, the Norwegian, Swedish lantic Union was a grouping of Europe has been proclaimed, and he had stamped his approval on and Danish Foreign Ministers ismost pay raise recommendations sued a communique yesterday of the special commission headed which said that in spite of sincere by Mr. Charles Hook, board efforts, no basis for a Scandin-

Specifically, the split was over whether or not such a pact should be linked to the more embracing Western defence system. Norway took a requests the Norwegian Governto the principle of neutrality, the question of the Atlantic Pact, did not itself create unity. Denmark was said not to have having particularly in mind the made up her mind definitely-circumstances that Norway has that the governments of five which way to go.

Futile Efforts

deadlock Swedish-Norwegian The Commission suggested extra proved fittile in negotiations have stretched over hazardous duty involving unusal months. Norway pointed out her military forces, are, relatively Government is undertaking any "We can thank the Communista strengthened by equipment from the West since such supplies were not available anywhere Press,

OMcials in Stockholm and Copenhagen said Russia had made no approach to Sweden and Denmark similar to the one made to Norway.

Meanwhile, Norwegian official

Aggressive Pact Afanasyev, the U.S.S.R. Amlie told a Wigan Labour bassador, visited Schilstad, meeting that Mr. Winston Chur- General Secretary of the Norchill wished to lead the world wegian Foreign Ministry, and to a "bigger and bloodier war of said the Soviet Government had intervention against the Euro- instructed him to state: "alpean, Russian and Chinese re- though the initiators of this (At-Inntic Pact) Union declare that As long as Labour ruled, Bri- the aims of the Atlantic tain would never be committed Union are for defence, the to such "supreme folly and Soviet Union has sufficient grounds for asserting that the The British Government's fail- Atlantic Union, now in preparaure in Palestine was a symptom tion, cannot serve to strength of a worldwide breakup of universal peace, but on the con-Anglo-American policy, he said, trary, is a group of powers which pursues aggressive alms, which is



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Russians Want War?

Frankfurt, Japanuary 30. Two former Soviet airmen, who fled their homeland in a stolen bomber. said today that Russia would go on secretly proparing for war despite the current peace , offensive ordered by Stalln.

Anatoly Barsov, former Soviet pilot, and Peter Pirogov, former navigator, told newsmen Stalin had ordered a peace offensive because he was losing the cold war with the West.

ed to go to the United States and broadcast to their countrymen over the

"Voice of America." They are scheduled to leave Frankfurt by plane in a day or two, according to the U.S. Air Force,-United

Brussels Pact

New York, January 30. The New York Herald-Tribune, in a leading article on the to be officially revealed before question in elections." peace loving sims of this grouping", said the statement formation of the Council of Wednesday,-Reuter. distributed in London by the Europe, said today that many would be disappointed that "In drawing the attention of bolder steps were not taken the Norwegian Government to more quickly. this situation, the Soviet Govern-

ment considers it necessary to It added: "Nevertheless, the declare that it regards the At- political nucleus of a United states which in point of fact is all the logic of necessity demands opposed to the U.N. and pursues that it be expanded and made aims which have nothing in com- constructive. mon with the interests of streng-

play in the world, but only through on the anniversary of the "In view of what has been it meet its responsibilities." stated, the Soviet Government

The New York Times said the stand in favour of Joining such ment to explain the attitude of mere announcement of the Brusa system, while Sweden clung the Norwegian Government on sels Pact powers plan for unity

> a common frontier with the Soto sacrifice some sovereignty in "The Soviet Union asks to be order to attain it," it said. informed whether the reports in

> the press that Norway is joining "Many years will have to pass the Atlantic Union correspond to before political nationalism, with the actual facts, and also to be its jealousies, will disappear from informed whether the Norwegian Europe.

> obligations to the Atlantic Union for hastening this day. And we force or naval bases on the ter- display of democratic purpose ritory of Norway."-Associated will make for a secure and lasting peace." the Times added .- Reuter.

REPORTED

Prague, January 31. Andrei Vishinsky, Russia's Deputy Foreign Minister, had recovered sufficiently on Sunday to leave the Red Army Sanatorium at Karlovy Vary for several hours.

Friendship Message

His Majesty's Government and guests. the Israeli Government was expressed in a message sent on where Vishinsky went Sunday, malian dinosaurs, gigantic tor-Sunday by the British Foreign He had no visitors, either Russian toises and rodents, as well as Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, to or Czech, attendants declared. fossilized dinosaur eggs. Minister of Israel.

friendly relations:

handed to Israel's Foreign Minister by Mr. Cyril Marciott, however, during the Danublan British Consul General in Haifa. River Conference last summer, Mr. Marriott called on Mr. and was out of action for three Shertok at the Haquirlah, seat of days. the Israeli Government, shortly morning (local time).

Mr. Marriott is expected to be powers. the first Acting British Representative in Israel.—Associated

SYRIA PROTESTS ISRAEL ACTION

Damascus, January 80.

The Syrian Premier, Dr. Khaled
El Azem, said today that he had sent a protest to the Security Council against an Israell ordinunce confiscating Arab absentees' properties in Israeli territory. He told Parliament last night day for Karachi to take up com-that he had been informed of such mand of the Royal Pakistan Air an ordinance and that he was Force. taking steps to protect the Pales- His departure was delayed 24 tino Arabs.—Reuter.

"Vishinsky's condition much better today," an attend-

On Saturday night, sanitorium of a trachodont dinosaur. officials said that he was suffering The expedition from gravely from a increous disorder Paleontological Institute of the and found it hard to concentrate.

The Czechoslovak Foreign Mr. Moshe Shertok, Foreign Ministry continued to profess no the Gobi later this year, the knowledge officially of Vishinsky's broadcast said.—United Press. Mr. Shertok, in his reply, ex- presence. One attache expressed pressed the same desire—that considerable surprise at the news recognition of Israel by Britain that the Soviet Deputy Foreign would mark the beginning of Minister was ill. "I saw him three months ago and he seemed Mr. Bevin's message was all right then," the attache said. Vishinsky fell ill at Belgrade,

After that he went to Paris after 11.00 o'clock Sunday where, single-handed, he led the Soviet Russian delegation and its The visit lasted for half an bloc of sympathisers in a bitter vituperative attack on the Western

Molotov remained in Moscow. The one-time purge presecutor in Russian anti-government trials is subject to pitches of frenzy when he rips with vitriolic words into his opponents. Such frenzies take their toll of nervous system.

—Associated Press.

AIR OFFICER FOR **PAKISTAN**

Air Vice Marshal Richard Atcherley left London by air to-

hours by fog.-Reuter.

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Tel Aviv, January 30. The left wing parties-the MAPAI (Labour), the MAPAM (left wing Socialists) and the Communists—will control more than half the seats in the Israeli Constituent Assembly.

It is expected that the Prime Minister, Mr. David Ben Gurion's, new Government will be left of centre, excluding the Communists and taking in the centre parties.

general election as its nearest' rival-the leftwing MAPAM Party-it was officially announced

The full election results, including the Army vote, which has taken five days to count, are: . MAPAI—152,972 votes. MAPAM -63,107. United Religious Party-52,633. Heruth (formerly the peace proposals appeared today Irgun Zval Leumi)-49,220. Gen- to be degenerating into eral Zionista (rightwing Centre) squabble over the broadcast's 22,514. Progressives (leftwing interpretation and intention. Centre) 17,080. Sephardim 15,017.

communists—14.999.

The total number of votes cast wns 427,029. The only other parties getting sufficient votes to entitle them to Arabs 7,387. Fighters (Stern Gang has any objection to this." terrorista) 5,299, Yemenites- 4.-Organisation-4.017.

The exact percentage of the otal vote was not revealed for security reasons, but it was known to be heavy. The exact allocation Greece with the statement: "The

Gandhi's Message Recalled

New Delhi, January 30, The Indian Prime Minister, "Europe has a great role to Pandit Nehru, today appealed unity, voluntarity achieved, can assassination of Mahatma Kathimeride said the report was Gandhi for the world to settle

He recalled his own speech after the Mahatma's death when he said: "the light which previous ones, and therefore there "What the plan does show is illuminated our lives has gone could be no question of following out," and said he now knew that nations desire unity and are willing it had not gone out, but shone more brightly than ever.

Gandhi's message that we cannot afford to ignore moral values was never more pertinent to the problems of the world, Pandit Nehru said.

peaceful methods and co-opera- Athens is imminent.

vantages, but we shall guard our Minister of Social Affairs in the own," the Prime Minister added. Markos Government, Professor The Deputy Prime Minister, Kokkalis, who heads a delegation Sardar Patel, said the salvation consisting of two Markos generals the troubled world lay in two senior officials and a journal-Gandhi's teachings, and by ist, now touring the Soviet Zone. following them India could set —Reuter. an example to the world. "Let us on this day rededicate ourselves to the ideals of

MOSCOW EXPEDITION

Gandhi," he concluded .- Reuter.

London, January 30. Radio Moscow said today that a Soviet scientific expedition has returned from the Gobi desert with a wealth of finds, including a three-ton skeleton The expedition from the

Tel Aviv, January 31.

Hope for the establishment of friendly relations between of friendly relations between the content of t Academy of Sciences spent six to 150,000,000 years ago. These No indication was given of included reptilian and mam-The expedition will return to

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The MAPAI Party polled over twice as many votes in Israel's Greek Peace

(Athens, January 30. Radio Athens' reply to guerilla General Markos Vafiades' The Friday night broadcast by

Proposals

the Government-controlled radio made three points in replying to Markos. To the demand for general Council seats were: Nazareth elections, the radio said: "No one

To the request for a ceasefire, 369. Women's International Zionist the radio said: "It is enough for the bandits to lay down their It answered Markos' stipulation that the Anglo-Americans leave

> sovereign people could solve this The Press Ministry, which prepared the broadcast statement and issued it to the press, said today that any reports that the statement represented the Government reply to Markos were misinter-

pretations.

The Greek press has been sharply critical of the statement and the way it was issued, and the Populist Party described it as a "malevolent attempt to undermine Greeco" and demanded that those responsible for the report be revealed, The Conservative newspaper

not presented in good faith and differences by peaceful that Greece had never intended to discuss the guerilla proposals. The Liberal Vima said the new Markos proposal was similar to

"LIBERATION" OF ATHENS

it up in any way.—United Press

Berlin, January 30. Major General Lambros, an officer of General Markos' Free Pandit Neru said: "While con- Greek Army claimed before a flict and hatred cannot end trou- Soviet sector audience of 1,000 in respect of the creation of air have the right to hope that this bles in India and the world, tonight that the liberation of

The crowd in Berlin's Opera

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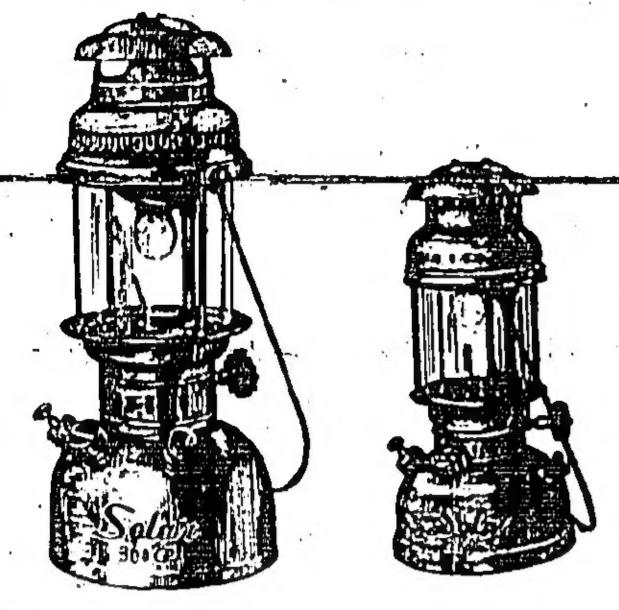
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Greece To Join Atlantic Pact?

London, January 30. Athens Radio tonight quoted Greek authoritative circles for a denial of a report said to have been broadcast by Moscow Radio that Greece might join the Atlantic Pact. "Press reports have said,

however, that during the recent visit to London of M. Robert Schuman, the French Foreign Minister, the question of a Mediterranean agreement was discussed," Athens Radio

World Bank To Recover U.S. Funds

make another attempt to pry loose from European hiding places American dollars, estimated to total thousands of

they hoped to attract the money man State until a Foreign Minis- youthful law breakers. by special bond sales. They plan- ters Council could meet to conned to try this new methods first sider the German problem as a in Belgium and, should this suc- whole, the Soviet Union would

ed in other countries. The officials said the fate of the lin. plan rested with the Belgian Government, which must first agree

European Governments were be lifted. expected to co-operate because they are vitally interested in circulating hoarded dollars, particularly in their own countries, through Bank loans.—Reuter.

TOA Plane Impounded

Manila, January 31. The Trans-Ocean Airlines plane which arrived on Saturday with a load of European refugees from Shanghai has been impounded at Manila In-

Aeronautics Administration. ties' Administrator, said American-registered TAL plane was permitted to make only three flights to Manila to bring Government would be ready niready had made more than ing such a declaration." three flights, in violation of re-

gulations. which was to have arrived last taking-measures-aimed-at-bring- cause of their neglect, misundernirport, and it returned to Shang- gradual disarmament?

tion to determine who was res-tion to determine who was res-United States Government in ponsible for violation of the agreement regarding TAL flights. adopting measures which would CNAC and Philippine Airlines lead towards the realisation of a CNAC and Philippine Airlines peace pact and to gradual dis- yet conceived in the U.S. to com- next month's Presidential elec- movements, some of them entire- All of the refugees covered in refugees from Shanghai,-United armament,"

Generalissimo Stalin said today that the Soviet Union was ready to make a joint declaration with the United States outlawing war, and offered to meet President Truman to draft such a peace pact.

Marshal Stalin was replying Germany by the setting up of a to a questionnaire submitted to West German Government, now him by the Hearst-owned In- expected to take place in the spring.-Reuter ternational News Service.

In his reply, broadcast by Moscow Radio he also said that the Soviet Union would co-operate with the United States in gradual disarmament measures.

Marshal Stalin said he would have no objection to meeting President Truman for the purposes of drafting a world peace pact,

Asked whether the Soviet Government would be prepared to consider, along with the United States, a programme such

Compromise Plan

Governments of the United responsible according to experts. to promote foreign economic re- States, Britain and France would But one major factor is the exten- problem of juvenile delinquency sant experience," he said in an forces, but assigned to Karenisagree to the postponement of the sive programme of governmental, Washington Bank officials said creation of a separate West Ger- and private organisation to curb the transport restrictions in Ber- sobered by these facts:

not to penalise bond buyers by however, that the transport and year, 16,943 were under 18 and taxes or, by freezing their dollar trade restrictions introduced in 60,862 were under 21. Although retaliation by the three powers 32.9 per cent of all persons arrested

> were made in answer to a series of those charged with robbery, of questions put by Mr. Kings- 59.9 per cent of those charged with bury Smith, European General burglary and 71.6 of those charged manager of the Hearst-owned with auto theft. International News Service, of America, submitted on January

The questions and Marshal Stalin's answers were broadcast tonight by Moscow Radio.

The text of the questions and answers were:

1. Will the Soviet Government be ready to discuss the question of publishing, together ternational Airport by the Civil with the United . States, a declaration that neither Governthe to war against the other?

in refugees from Shanghai, but consider the question of publish-

Major Cruz sald another TAL prepared to co-operate with the stance in broken homes, in homes loaded with refugees, United States Government in where mothers and fathers benight, was warned that CAA ing about such a world peace standing, or irresponsibility had would not permit a landing at the pact which would lead to a failed in their primary obligation.

Marshal Stalin: "Naturally, the ordered a preliminary investiga-

> German Government, pending a ment. meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers to consider the The conference recognised, in a In a letter to General de Matos, Zones of Germany?

ernment sees no objections to affairs of the community." lifting the transport restrictions, provided that the restrictions on transport and trade imposed by the three powers are lifted at the same time."

the purpose of discussing the possibility of such a world pact? objections to such a meeting." Reuter's Diplomatic Corres-

pondent writes: The Boviet Premier's expressed wish for better relations with the Western powers, contained in his statement made to a United States new agency in Moscow, coused a stir in diplomatic quarters in London this evening.

that the essence of Marshal £ 100,000,000.

London us h last minute bld to into the country. breviht the heat splitting of Monsol Pasha declared that ter.

Israel

Wellington, January 31, The Prime Minister of New Zealand, Mr. Peter Fraser, announced on Batur. day night that the Government of New. Zealand had granted de facto recognition to the Government of Israel. Ho said in a statement that events in Palestine in recent months have made it evident that a Jewish State has been established as a political entity and must be accepted as such .-- Associated Press.

Juvenile Delinquency On Decline In U.S.

Washington, January 30. According to government statisticians, juvenile deliquency in the United States is on the decrease.

could co-operate with the United sons under 18 years of age was Mortional Continuing Committee of the California, Seventh Day Adventist points: States in carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and some of the control of the control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures only 4.7 per cent of all arrests and control of the carrying measures on the carrying measures on the carrying measures are carrying and control of the carrying measures on the carrying measures on the carrying measures are carrying and carrying measures are carrying measures. Washington, January 30.

The World Bank may shortly which would lead to a gradual contrasted with 9.1 per cent in quency. Its aims include develop- Royal Air Force flier.

Captain Roy W. Marriott, former a separate Karen State known as contrasted with 9.1 per cent in quency. Its aims include develop- Royal Air Force flier.

> accompanied by closer parental Washington conference. Marshal Stalin said that if the restraint and guidance, is partially

Even though fewer juveniles were arrested during the first six ceed, the project would be repeatsee no obstacles to the lifting of period a year ago, Americans were

> Of the 377,933 persons arrested He said it would be necessary, from January through June this were less than 25, this age bracket Marshal Stalin's statements contributed 45.2 per cent of those

Whose Responsibility?

rest and imprisonment each year of Balkans thousands of American young peothe penitentiary in their adult Eisenhower's book, "Crusade in ple, 52 per cent of whom return to

roots of the problem lie in the proposal to invade the Balkans homes, the schools, and the because he was afraid the troops churches of our nation. If results would be held up in the mounare to be achieved, it must be tains. Major A. Cruz, Civil Aeronau- ment has any intention of going through the citizen and his community, with state and local German armies already had been about seizing key points in a 89 airplane pilots, 14 under-Marshal Stalin; "The Soviet officials also having a vital stake in broken at Stalingrad, the paper wide perimeter about the capital. takers, *248 shepherds and the operation,"

> the United States FBI, answers pest and Vienna,-United Press. 2. Is the Soviet Government in a similar vein: "Their lawless-More often than not, God was unknown or, more important, was unwelcome in these homes."

Ambitious Programme

bat juvenile delinquency was plan- tions. ned two years ago when 800 ex-3. If the Governments of the perts attended in Washington the made yesterday by General Luis United States, Britain and national conference on prevention Norton de Mates, 81-year old France agree to postpone the and control of juvenile delinquency Portuguese Opposition election creation of a separate West sponsored by the Distice Depart- candidate, that military interven-

German problem as a whole, report which four young persons Dr. Salazar's secretary wrote that would the Government of the aged 17 to 24 helped draft, that: the 'Army was "fortunately USSR be prepared to lift the "If children and young people are cured of those divisions which restrictions on communications to become self-reliant, self-dis-formerly existed and led some between Berlin and the Western ciplined, and thinking adults so military elements to be instruessential to the success of a De ments to partisan fights." mocratic society, these children, But the letter warned that if Marshal Stalin: "Provided the and young people must be re- anyone tried to "deviate into the three Governments concerned ob- cognised as increasingly capable revolutionary field" during the serve the conditions mentioned of managing their own affairs and election, it would be the Governin this question, the Soviet Gov- of sharing responsibility for the ment's duty to establish order.

provement of juvenile court pro- her as long as they are able," codure, schools for parents, press, radio and motion picture programmes to focus the attention of adults on the problem of juvepile offenders.-United Press.

Eisenhower Prolonged War?

Berlin, January 36. The Russian-licensed newspaper Der Tag today sald General Eisenhower had prolonged war by striking at Germany from the Rangoon-Mandalay railway What is responsible for the ar- the West instead of through the which have fallen to the rebels.

The paper, reviewing General Epurope", said the former Supreme Allied Commander re-President Truman says: "The jected Mr. Winston Churchill's

said, and General Eisenhower J. Edgar Hoover, director of easily could have reached Buda-

Free Vote Portugal

Lisbon, January 30.
The Portuguese Prime Minister, Dr. Antonio Salazar, gave Rangoon.

tion was being prepared to obtain a suspension of the election.

EGYPT VISITED BY pared to meet President Truman at a mutually suitable place for

Cairo, January 30. ready stated that there are no Drug trafficking, in Egypt has increased to such clarming proportions during the past year that it is now widely referred to here as the "modern plague of Egypt."

country during 1948 nearly modern fast aeroplanes. tons of hashish and Most of the hashish comes from Observers in London im- opium, on which it is estimated Lebanon, Syria and Transjordan, mediately drew the conclusion they made a net profit of and Monsef. Pasha believes that

provided that Britain, France Mahmud Pasha, Director General League should take immediate and WESTON MASTER and the United States held up of the Egyptian Coast Guard drastic steps to deal with this meter with the creation of a separate West Service, stated in an interview remenace, particularly as it is a WESTON
German Government until the cently that during 1948 the Coast known by the Egyptian authorities in WESTON
whole problem of Germany had Guard had seized nearly 10 tons that more land is being put under been discussed again on a four- of illicit drugs and that this cultivation for drugs this year. power basis at the Council of quantity was estimated to repre- Before World War II, the

Smugglers have smashed all every device was used to get the records, introducing into the drug into Egypt, from camels to

the closest collaboration among the the wide Arab States is imperative. Major General Abdul Monset He has suggested that the Arab of your

Foreign Ministers.

sent only about one per cent of greater part of the daugs smuggled into Egypt came from Turkey. Bulgaria, Greece and India -- Rev-

NZ Recognises Refugees Relate Horror Rebellion

Rangoon, Burma, January 31. A plane load of American and British subjects told yesterday of their rescue from the town of Bossein, which has become a flaming battleground in Burma's civil war.

fighting, and fires dotted the some in collaboration with one town as their plane took off on another, are among the rebel Saturday with the liberated movements. foreigners, three of them American missionaries.

Two Americans were left beand. One of them is Mrs. Charles Contad, a missionary whose husband is in Rangoon.

Friendly Natives

here, on the Irrawaddy River the spokesman said, Official records show that in From this Washington confer- [The story was told by Dr; and A government source said the 1947 the rate of arrests of per- ence came the formation of the Mrs. A. J. Sargeant, of Oakland, Karen Union proposed these five

Undoubtedly the end of the war, commendations multiple and the re- no word of his wife since the commendations made by the friendly Karens took her away. National Defence Organisation, "I am worried, as she is in de- now fighting the Government in licate health and not fit to stand the civil war, as an official Blueprints for attacking the a rigorous journey and unplea- military unit of Burma's armed include widespread athletic pro- interview. "But I am confident tan. grammes, teen-age centres, im- our Karen friends will protect

Forced Landing

included a number of Britons, and sident groups of the Peoples made a forced landing at Bassein Volunteer Organisation. on Friday just before Karen rebels and Burmese Communists insur- government to work for internal gents captured the town. They peace and enable holding of were liberated, they said, when elections. government troops stormed the city on Saturday.

nounced the rebels finally have any final decision is taken. been driven from Bassein, in a Meanwhile, the government powerful offensive in which the announced it has disarmed all Nationalists are hitting "with Karen police in its service and everything we've got."

The communique said Na- all except some high ranking oftionalist columns also were ficers.—Associated Press. fighting to recapture' points on It described the campaign as progressing most-satisfactorily.

The Karens, flerce fighters seeking to carve out their own separate state in Burma, caught the government by surprise when they linked forces, with strong Burmese Communists. In a lightning offensive they cut of Organisation is trying to find Rangeon, the capital ecity, from jobs and homes for 912 accountits main food supplies in the However, the backbone of the North, Systematically they set

A government communique an- shepherdesses, 604 policemen nounced strong reinforcements and thousands of farmers, lawhave been rushed to the area, yers, musicians and engineers. but that the fighting has spread. The IRO just released a report Rebels fired some villages in the on the occupational skills of the Maubin area midway between ,55,000 refugees under its care. Bassein and Kangoon, the govern- Of 283,000 refugees between

said some strong unidentified re- non-manufacturing pursuit. bel groups fought a 10-hour Concerning the high number of buttle at Sinbaugwe, a town skilled refugees, the IRO report South of the Yenangyaung oil said: "The Nazi selection process fields, about 180 miles North of which sought the most highly

Burma, fighting to consolidate probably contributed to this unan assurance today that the its independence, has been beset usually high proportion of skill-The most ambitious programme Army would not intervene in by a series of revolutionary ed workers."

Guns blazed in flerce street them fighting independently and

Peace Talks

Karen and government leaders started here yesterday. Saw Ba U Gyi, President of the Karen Nation Union, conferred with Premier Thakin Nu and military

Friendly natives risked their Official sources said the leaders lives to dash' through flaming were renewing discussions of a streets and every the to a page onese the agreement between the government and all of the var-Missionary Erville E. Howards, lous rebel groups. Ba U Gyl, and of Granville, Ohio, remained in possibly other responsible Karens, Basseln, about 170 miles West of might be offered Cabinet posts,

3. Official recognition of the auxiliary Union military police. 4. Amnesty for all warring |Karens and other rebel units throughout the country, in-The foreign group, which also cluding Communists and dis-

5. Formation of a coalition

The informants said the programme would be presented to A government communique an- the full Burma Cabinet before

given one month's "vacation" to

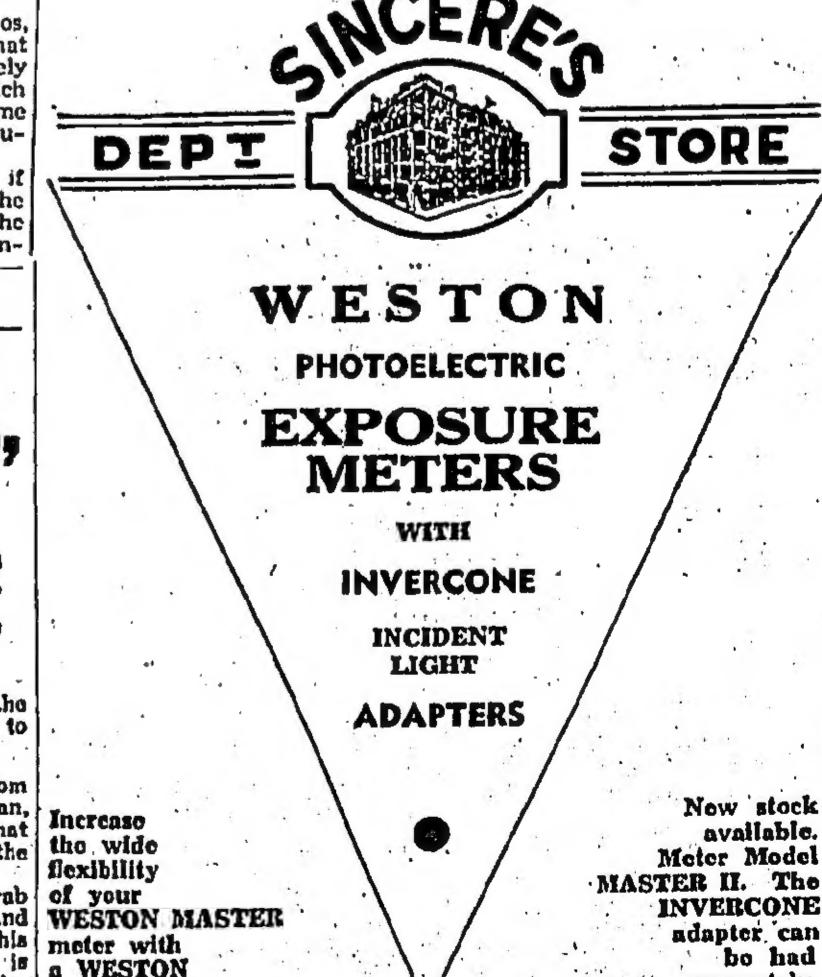
IRO Needs Help

Geneva, January 31. The International Refugee ants, 539 dentists, 89 sculptors,

the ages of 16 and 65, some 81,000 Another official announcement are skilled in a manufacturing or

skilled workers for forced labour

He was replying to allegations Communist groups, some of tria and Italy,-Associated Press.



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Acheson To Meet With Canada, Britain And Western Europe Nations

Truman Mum On Stalin's Proposal

Washington, January 30. Generalissimo Stalin's statement that he would be prepared to meet President Truman to discuss the differences between the subject of the meeting and the two nations was brought to that it would be logical for the the President's attention imme- seven nations to consider a diately here today, but there formal answer to Russia's angry was no official word of his re- and repeated criticisms of the action.

The State Department des clared, however, that the Soviet Government had made no formal move to intiate the meeting between the two leaders: Mr. Michael McDermott, the

Press Officer, said the United States Government has not limit any request, communication or approach of any sort.

It was immediately recalled that Mr. Truman has repeatedly he had just as repeatedly insist. ed that he would not leave Washington to do this.

Whether Marshal Stalin regards Washington as a mutually acceptable place is probably not known outside the Kremlin.

Meantime, it seemed to diplomatic observers here is "the big push" in Rusia's socalled peace offensive, and that recent pronouncements by Communist leaders urging a Stalin-Truman meeting were designed development.

latest pronouncement from the where Mr. Acheson faces a - Reuter. Eremlin, the only positive thing stormy time. American official sources were saying was that Generalissimo doubts about both the treaty and Stalln's statement was regarded its companion US\$2,000,000,000 as important and deserved and American arms programme. Even would receive the closest study, such stalwart administration -Reuter.

No More Isolation For U.S.

Topeka, Kansas, January 30.

The United States can no said more return to a policy of isolation than an adult can return to childhood, Senator William F. out whose active support there can be no adequate international system of law and order." he

The Senator said the United States had already become a signatory to a regional security pact embracing the Western Hemisphere within the framework of the United Nations Char-

"Both the historic background and the geographic proximity make the prospective North Atlantic pact of equal importance to Colombia, in which he said that this nation. With the degree of the blessing of the Church was collective security such a pact will upon all participants in the furnish, it may be possible for the Congress and on all the free nations of Western Europe nations represented there. to move on to a constructive. The principal task of the settlement of their economic Congress, the Pope said, will be vice was disrupted for five hours problems.

said.—United Press.

Rhodes, January 30. PARAGUAYAN

Dr. Ralph Bunche, the United Nations acting Mediator, spent today studying the Israell and Egyptian armistice proposals with his Chief of Staff, General William Riley, and his legal Tho adviser, Mr. Constantin Stavropoulos.

The biggest problem con-fronting Dr. Bunche was refronting Dr. Bunche was re-ported to be the proposals for Minister, Beandro Prieto, took ment was intended to attain the fixing of battle lines for the refuge in the Brazilian Emulity of the National Republican, or Colorado Party, of which blems, such as the exchange of blems, such as the exchange of

viewpoints before a further inlormal meeting is hold to hamformal meeting is hold to hamformal of Gonzalez began late on Saturday to the fall of Gonzalez, who bebut names are being withheld threatening the breakdown of and was accomplished during the came President on August 15, pending notification of next of the talks.—Reuter.

The talks.—Reuter.

Washington, January 30. The Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, is expected to meet this week with the Ambassadors of Canada and the five Western European nations, possibly to reply to Russian charges that the North Atlantic security pact was warlike.

Asia Aid

Runs Into

Difficulty

- Washington, January 301.

technicians to indulge in "Em-

pire Building" and a definite

shortage of trained men may

Observers point to the efforts of

for African development surveys.

Negotiations have been going on

The matter is now in the hands

The main difficulties encountered

United States and every qualified

(2) Without the incentive of a

much larger salary, qualified men

If the choice lies between work

Gun Battle

In Heart Of

New York

wounding and capture of a man

The man, aged 40, was wound-

The police earlier today in-

The shooting took place yes-

Martyr, Manhattan. The priest

wounded in the left leg, was

The rifleman fled and was lost

Thieves Cut

Telephone Cable

Trans-Pacific telephone ser-

pany, lines between Manila and

Sabotage was suspected by

Recurrent wire thefts have

Investigators who pointed

Authorities .- Associated Press.

OVERTHROWN

Asuncion, Paraguay, January 10.

government of President Juan Nationalicio

Gonzalez was overthrown today. 🧀

Manila, January 31.

Father Vincent Campbell.

in a crowd.-Reuter.

New York, January 30.

are reluctant to go overseas.

this country.

yesterday.

A hesitancy among American

The expected meeting would be the first Mr. Acheson has held with diplomatic representatives of the United States' Communism since he took over

at the State Department. Diplomatic sources said the security alliance pact would be

World Domination?

The Kremlin has officially prove one of the main problems charged Britain and the United in President Truman's scheme States with using the proposed for developing the world's backtreaty to obtain "world do ward areas. mination", it has also called on Norway to say whether it will join the pact or provide Nor. British officials here to secure the weglan bases for the Western services of 30 American geologists

While American diplomatic ofasserted he would be ready to ficials denied the charges in- for six months now. So far, no meet Generalissimo Stalin, but formully, they, postponed any American geologists have been formal statement until they obtained. could consult with other nations drafting the pact. These nations of the United States Government are Britain, Canada, France, Geological Service, and there are Belghun, Largembourg and the hopes of some success. Netherlands.

in these negotiations have been: Any formal answer probably would emphasise that the pact is (1) Shortage of trained men. An aimed at safeguarding peace and limmense amount of mining and survey work is going on in the bolstering the work of the United Generalissimo Stalin's statement Nations, Russia contends it would man can find a well paid job in scuttle the United Nations.

Trouble With Senate

The treaty itself is not exas a curtain-raiser to today's big beeted to be signed before the in an African jungle or the middle of March, Even then it Colorado plateau, the tendency While Washington digested this must be ratified by the Senate, among most is to favour the latter. Some Senators have grave

supporters as the chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senator Tom Connally, have declined to commit themselves until more details are available.

Despite these doubts, advance betting is that Mr. Acheson will muster the necessary two-thirds ratification vote in the Senate after explaining the need for a defence agreement. He also ing been concerned in the shootseems to have the votes for the ing of a Roman Catholic priest arms programme.

Senator William Knowland Republican co-operation ed by police fire which he re hinged on whether Republican turned after he had been trapforeign policy leaders were real- ped in a boarding house. ly consulted in advance or whe- The man was alleged to have Knowland, Republican, said in information at the last minute, of a church in New York and a speech prepared for delivery Mr. Knowland and Senator wounded a priest sitting in a before the Kansas Day dinner. Henry Cabot Lodge summed up confessional box. "We must assume our respon- the doubts of many of their colsibilities as a global power with- leagues; while they expect to stituted a house-to-house search support the programme, they over Manhattan's East Side. . want assurances that the Western European world is ready terday during confessional hours and willing to fight in a show- in the Church of St. John the down.-United Press.

Rome, January 30. The Pope this afternoon broadcast a message to the Eucharistic Congress at Cali

a genuine re-avowal of the yesterday, and two radio stations "In the real sense there can noblest and oldest Christian were cut off the air when cable be no neutrals in the struggle to traditions, coupled with the firm thieves snipped the Philippine establish a free world of free determination to remain un- Long Distance Telephone Commen whose peace will be secure shakeably resolved to seek under collective security based on peace among the nations assem- Quezon City, International law and justice," he bled there on the basis of Christian brotherhood.

> "We give you our blessing in that only a 75-foot length these tasks from the fullness of cable was stolen. our hearts, and we have delegated our brother, the Cardinal brought investigation by Philip-Delegate, to convey it to you," he pine and United States Army said.--Reuter.

Catholics Slain By Reds? New York, January 31.

The Auxillary Bishop of the Archdiocese of New York sald yesterday he had received word that Catholic Priests, Brothers and Nuns had been 'slain by Chinese Communists.

The most Reverend Thomas J. McDonnnell said he was notified on Saturday that 58 Priests, 16 Brothers and 13 Nuns had been put to death by Chinese Reds. He sald that his information came from Archbishop Riberl, Apostolia Internuncio in Chinn. '

The Catholic Churchman made the statement at a Knights of Columbus communian breakfret.

Asserting that Americans should not think of the Chinese Communists as any different from those of Soviet Russia, he added: "Archbishop Riberl has informed me that the Communists of Ching are, the same as those of Russia, and that all their leaders have been trained in the Kremlin." - Associated

Pravda Attacks Asia Meet

Moscow, January 31. The newspaper Prayda charged yesterday that the recent Asian conference on Indonesia at New Delhi was only a disguised part of Anglo-American plans to dominate the world.

(The conference of 19 Asian countries demanded that United Nations call a halt on Dutch rule of Indonesia , and compet the Dutch to cease military action there.)

Prayda, in an editorial, said the conterence had "nothing in common with the struggle against Colonial rule of Imperiathe peoples of Asia."

Boris Izakov, who signed the attempted to steer it into form- poses. ing a bloc against Russia.

The conferees, Izakov .wrote, A gun battle in the heart of accepted a plan which would maintain Colonial rule of Indone-New York today led to the sia through artificial formation of the proposed United States of suspected by the police of hav-Indonesia. (The New Delhi

demanded that the US of Indonesia be created as a sovereign country.)-Associated Press.

Bomb Load Dropped On California

Washington, January 30. A United States B-36 superheavy stratosphere bomber carrled 37-1/2 tons of bombs aloft today—the greatest bomb load ever lifted-and dropped them on a California bombing range, the United States Air Force an-

The bomb load consisted of two guided missiles, without explosive

The B-36 flew 2,000 miles from Carswell Base, Texas, to a bombing range at the Muroc, California, air test base, and returned to Texas, averaging more than 250 miles an hour for the flight. The weight of the two bombs lifted by the six-engined Consolidated Vultee plane was equivalent to a wartimo B-17 Flying

At the take-off, the bomber, its bombs and fuel load totalled over 700,000 pounds. Both the bombs were carried in a normal manner within the huge bomb bay of the

plane, one in each bay. , The B-36 was disabled on its return landing at Carswell Base today, when a propeller bit into the concrete runway as the main landing gear under the right wing collapsed.

That throw up sparks which set off rumours that the giant bomber had caught fire.-Reuter.

FOUR KILLED IN JAPAN FIRE

Tokyo, January 31. General Mac-Arthur's Headquarters today revised its casualty list in the fire 'yesterday at the Air Force barracks at Yokota air base, near Tokyo, to four dead and five seriously

prisoners, the supervision, reduction and withdrawal of opposing forces, were reported to have been solved.

The Mediator will hand to the Israeli and Egyptian delegations to more a summary of their viewpoints before a further in-

State Department To Run Germany?

Washington, January 30. The Army Secretary, Mr. Kenneth Royall, currently

en route to Japan, tonight was said here to have asked President Truman to turn over to to the State Department the job of administering occupied Germany, but Government officials said they had no knowledge of such a request.

Mr. Royall was said to have made the request in a letter to the White House shortly after his return on January 3 on a similar trip to Germany. He reportedly sent a copy to

the State Department. Mir. Charles Ross, Winter Hous Press Secretary, said he knew nothing about the reported letter. The State Department spokes-

man was also stient, Mr. Royall's nides said they did not know whether such a letter had been sent. If it was, they 'added; any information about it would have to come from the White House a matter of policy."

Army's, attempts to get rid of in the European Union and the 'job' of running the occupa- hinted that a special election tion zone of Germany, Military should be called on the issue, leaders repeatedly have tried to In a special statement in his shift the task to the State De- Party's newspaper, Unita, conpartment in the past, claiming demning "this new Holy Althe Army should be relieved of Hance," Togliatti warned: its dual responsibility as seen as

Second Time

the switch because of the the outcome of similar policies." .tense American-Russian the job. One high Government official

Mr. Royall would recommend a new conflicts" switch at this time. He said Russo-American relations were more strained than ever. "It is tion was a mere hint in which hardly the time to make a he reminded the Government that change in our German policy." Asked about this, one of Mr. Union without Parliament's con-Royall's aides said; "I don't sent. However, this is already know whether the Secretary assured because the Catholic made a proposal or not. But if Christian Democrat Party of Prelists or with the real interests of he did, the reason probably mier Alcide de Gasperi has an

He noted that President Tru- easy control of the Senate. article, advanced the same thesis man's budget proposed a US\$- "Even before judging this new expressed in Saturday's long gov- 235,000,000 cut in occupation Holy Alliance, there arises and ernment declaration on the North costs during the 1950 fiscal year imposes itself on us a prejudicial Atlantic defence pact. He con- and said the Secretary might question," said Togliatti. tended the conference was in- feel available funds should be Italian Government cannot take spired by Colonial powers which used strictly for military pur- any engagement in this field

Clay To Step Down?

One report said that Mr. Royall General Lucius Clay, United Gasperl swore, and swore false-States commander in Europe, had ly, that he would never carry conference expressed a desire to step down. Italy into a bloc of powers." -He was said to feel this opened United Press. the way to reviewing the entire question of military versus civilian control.

However, Army sources said Mr. Truman has asked General Clay to stay in Germany until the tension caused by the cold war eased off.

occupied areas. Officials consider it a "thankless job" at best over as Secretary of State.- decided not to proceed with the United Press.

Reds Oppose-Alliance

Rome, January 30. Palmiro Togliatti, Italy's Communist boss, warned the Government today that his Party's 2,500,000 There is nothing new in the would fight Italian participation

"It seems the time is not yel finished when Italians must learn from the newspapers that their country is going to be kept part The proposal almost went of an anti-Communist pact or of through in fate 1947, but Mr. some other axis or triangle. We Truman rescinded the order for recall, however, what has been

lations and the lack of State for the formation of a European He said the London decision Department personnel to do Union was a "very grave act of imperialistic policy which tends, not to unite Europe and the said he could not understand why world, but to split it, preparing

His reference to a special elec-

is could not join the European would be the Army's lack of absolute majority in the Assembly and has enough support for

without consulting Parliament, It would say that, if the Christian

Democrat Government were directed by honest persons, an appeal to the country would impose itself because all know that was prompted by the fact that in the campaign of April 18 de

MUTINY CHARGE ACQUITTAL Mombasa, January 30.

Nineteen Mauritian soldiers of The State Department tradi- No 2,047 Company of the Royal tionally has been reluctant to Pioneer Corps have been acquittake over the administration in ted by a general court martial here on a charge of mutiny. The charge arose from an inand one for which the Depart- cident when the accused were ment is only partially prepared. | alleged to have combined to-Mr. George Marshall favoured gether to disobey a sergeant's the switch when he was serving order. Evidence was brought as Army Chief of Staff, but that the sergeant did not give a changed his mind after taking direct order and the prosecution

case.—Reuter.





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Clergy Protest "White Australia" Policy

Explosion Shatters 28 Homes

Manila, January 31. An explosion of bombs in a Philippine Air Force ammunition dump set fire to 28 homes in Bauan, Batangas province, on Saturday night.

Reports reaching Manila today said that 174 persons were homeless as a result of the blast and were immediately reported from

Baunn, 60 miles due South of Dispatches from Batangas said 2,000 parabombs were stored in

(In Manila, Air Force sources said the Intest tally listed 620 bombs of 500 pounds at Bauan). clergyman said. The cause of the explosions

the Air Force dump.

was not known. Governor Feliciano Leviste of Batangas wired the Philippine cles," National Red Cross asking for relief and aid for the homeless disaster victims.-Associated Press.

GERMANY WHY WIN WAR

Frankfurt, January 30. long way toward losing the war for Germany, a former high ranking Nazi commander told United States Army intelligence officers today.

Field Marshal Gerd von Rundstedt's one-time operations officer, Lieutenant General Bodo von Zimmerman, told the story of how Germany captured Allied operations plans prior to the Normandy Invasion. Over 100 Allied plans came into German hands, but they never reached von Rundstedt's defending forces in Northern France.

The captured plans, Zimmerman said, were so delayed by brass hats and various command headquarters that they lost all value by D-Day.

"The campaign in the West and the whole war were lost as soon as the invasion succeeded," he said. Zimmerman sald Rundstedt was

never allowed to make his own decisions. "Instead, his judgements were monotonously disapproved by the Supreme Command, and generally without reason."

Finally, Zimmerman declared it was Hitler's own obsession for command and crystal-ball foreeasting that caused the German

front in France to fall apart.

Hitler tied strings on his most.

able field commanders, did his own predicting on Allied moves and had individual Army units operating without the slightest knowledge of the inovements of other commands.-United Press.

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Melbourne, January 30. Press and clergy today joined in voicing a nationwide protest over Australia's decision to deport the Indonesian wife of an Australian, and her eight children.

One clergyman said the order [are of a different colour. We have against the O'Keefe family, issued by the Immigration Minister. Mr. Arthur Calwell, white Australia policy and the problems it raises for our future. under the "White Australia" policy, savoured of inhumanity best of our propaganda to perand gross lack of consideration. | sunding the Western world, part-Justice should be tempered with | icularly America, that their mercy, he said. "If we build up a security on a planet, where the feeling among Asiatics by continu- Asiatic bloc is multiplying, depends ing - this outmoded, short-sighted on the white man's control of this be growing cause for misunderstanding, hatred, wars, and more Asiatic in and mix our blood with

"Adopt a quota system, make them all trade unionists and make certain they won't become a source of chenp fabour -- but let's think of them as human beings," the

"These antiquated ideas must be changed to meet new contingen-

Support for the order came from the Returned Soldlern League, White Australia policy is to be enforced, there must be no exceptions," but newspapers unanimously condemned Mr. Calwell's action. The Sydney Morning Herald said: "At the very moment when the Government is denouncing the Dutch and showing what a stout friend it is to the Indonesians, it is incurring the opium of expelling an Indonesian woman and her Red tape and politics went a children who sought sanctuary here during the war,

"The contrast between the Commonwealth's championship of the Indonesian cause and its treatment of this family cannot go unmarked in Asia."

"We won't fool Ania," the Sydney Telegraph headed its lender, and said: "Pandit Nehru and his Asiatic bloc will watch

"And now we kick out the O'Keefe family because their skins

ls Unlikely

New York, January 30. General Dwight Eisenhower. speaking before the New York State Bar Association, said he did not think war with Russia was likely because "war is not the acceptable way to accomplish their purpose."

He declared that he based his belief on the instability of Easter. Europe with the defection of Marshal Tito as an example, and the fact that industry there had not_been_re-established._

But, he added, there is always the possibility of war. All wars are stupid and can be started stupidly.-Reuter.



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Chiang Still Runs China?

Moscow, January 31. The Russian press printed articles yesterday contending Chiang Kai-shek still rules China "despite his announced retirement as President. The articles summarised dispatches from the Chinese

only playing for time, hoping to gain three months in which to regroup his scattered armies and renew the civil war. It asserted Chiang's agents are rounding up Chinese who oppose him and shipping them from Shang-Hal Bouthward for execution when ' "extreme necessity" arises.-Associated Press.

Polish-Rumanian

Bucharest, January 30. The steamer Indian Navigator, in giving mutual ald guarantees (7,600 tons), ran aground today against possible German aggresin the North Sea near Spiekeroog, sion.

one of the East Frisian islands The pact of "friendship cowhose secretary said: "If the off the North West coast of Ger- operation and mutual assistance" many, the German news agency, blads the signatories to take all measures to avert a new aggres-The vessel was on her way sion by Germany or any State

tugs later left Cuxhaven for the many. Indian Navigator, which was ex-

ISRAEL IS "UNJUST"

Karachi, Jánuary 30. Pakistani Government stated officially today that it considered recognition of Israel constitutionally wrong and morally unjust-

A Foreign Ministry press note; It pointed, out that Pakistan the co-operation with interest. Of said that recognition of Israel believed that partition of Palescourse, we can deny that the amounted to placing a premium line into Arab and Jewish States Day, White Australia policy has any on armed aggression and the use lack both legal and moral justi-

it said.

fication and said the 1947 United "Such recognition would not Nations General Assembly re-Palestine problem but also equity and right of self-deter-

news agency.

One article said Chiang is

Terms

The lext published today of the here last week, shows that it closely follows the Rumanian-Yugoslav pact of December, 1947,

from Hamburg to India: Four which would associate with Ger-

The 20-year treaty will be carpected to be refloated later in the ried out in accordance with the United Nations Charter.-Reuter.

RECOGNITION

of brute force.

"Secondly, we can devote the

"Alternatively, we can let the

STEAMER

AGROUND

Hamburg, January 30.

his,"—Reuter.

DPD, reported,

day,-Reuter,

London-Bound Plane Crashes In Mid-Air

New York January 30. Pan-American World Airways Constellation, bound for London with 33 persons abroad, collided with a private plane above Long Island today.

The transport made emergency landing without injury to anyone aboard but one of the two men in the small To Be Peace plane was killed.

The lower half of the body of the second occupant of the small plane was wedged in the top of a jagged hole in the Clipper. The top half of his body dropped upon the exclosive Beacon Till resident that section of Port Washington, Long Island.

The four-engined clipper had been airborne only 15 miles when the spectacular, collision occurred. It had taken all from LaGuardia ed a giant "World Social Service Field and was gaining altitude and Rehabilitation Centre" should as it headed North East out to be creeted on the site of Hiroshisea.—United Press.

Bao Dai Seen AS Key To Peace few survivors of atomic warfare, sald what was needed was a

Paris, January 30. The French Overseas Minister, M. Paul Coste-Floret, today said the return to Indo-China of Bao Dai, former Emperor of Annam, was the key peaceful settlement of Franco-Vietnam conflict.

M. Coste-Floret added that his talks with Bao Dai indicated that the ex-Emperor would accept France's request that he return to Indo-China to take charge of the provisional government set up by the French last June.

The Minister spoke at a dinner celebrating Victnam New Year's

the return of His Majesty Bao ged us into World War II:" only not help in finding a just solution on partition "was not Dat is the key to Franco-Vietnam In a forward to his memoirs, and lasting solution to the only opposed to justice and problems," said M. Coste-Floret, General Chennault called for all would be likely to have grave minution, but also clearly re- mit us to predict his return, which eralissimo Chiang Kai-shek as the consequences affecting the main- pugnant to the conscience of an will allow us to celebrate peace only means of halting a Comtenance of international peace," over-whelming majority of the and a unified and independent munist conquest of all Asia,-

Hiroshima

Monument? Miami, Florida, January 31. The Reverend Kivoshi Tanimoto, of Hiroshima, Japan, suggested yesterday the building of a world peace centre at the scene of atomic war's most

horrible scar. He told interviewers he believma Castle, an aricient feudal fortress which housed military through centuries of

Japan's history. The slight, serious minister, graduate of Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, and one of the "meaningful monument to the

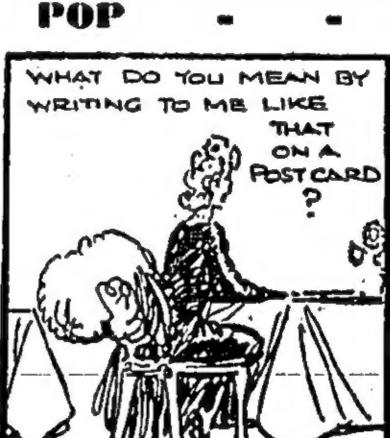
evil of war." He said what he had in mind was a combination hospital, juvenile care centre, widows home and educational centre. The Reverend Tanimoto said to he was in this country to obtain

the financial support for his proposed peace centre.-Associated Press. U.S. SHOULD AID

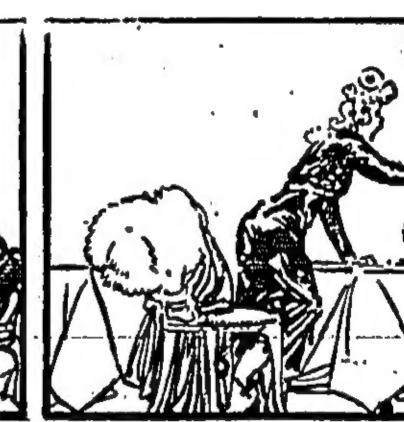
CHIANG KAI-SHEK Washington, January 30. Major General Claire Chennault, leader of the "Flying Tigers" squadron in China in the last world war, claimed today that the present American policy in China was "plunging us into a disastrous "I have said, and II say again, repetition of the errors that drag-

"The speeches of His Majesty per- possible American support to Gen-

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Labour Movement May Introduce

London, January 30. A tug-of-war struggle to decide whether Labour shall stake its future on a bold new socialisation programme for the general election, due within the next 15 months, is expected to develop swiftly inside the Labour Movement. The question has been

surance.

nationalisation.

who favour a go-slow policy.

Flour And Sugar Next?

Flour and sugar undertakings

The Opposition, which is un-

derstood to have the support of

the Deputy Prime Minister, Mr.

Herbert, Wishes to see a con-

solidation in those industries al-

ready nationalised before ut-

The TUC General Council

has given this school powerful

Small Majority

The General Council's decision

is believed to have been taken by

a small majority, however, and

those who voted against it expect

to be able to secure wide support

Unions representing some work-

ers in the chemical, and ship-

building industries are on re-

cord as demanding nationalisa-

When a secret meeting of Gov-

ernment Ministers and Labour

recently, Mr. Arthur Deakin,

secretary of one union including

many workers in the industry

opposed its nationalisation, while

Mr. Bob Edwards, secretary of

dent of the Board of Trade, Mr.

Harold Wilson, were among those

who are believed to have sup-

ICI is now top favourite for na-

The nationalisation of water

undertakings would be a natura

extension of the State control of

other essential services-gas, coal and electricity-introduced by the present Labour Government and

The prospects of the national-

isation of shipbuilding, insurance,

flour and sugar seem more re-

While the boilermakers' trade

union has gone all-out to have

shipbuilding nationalised, other

a contraction of the demand for

A move to take over flour and

The special committee of the

It is expected to prepare

sugar undertakings might arouse

regarded as second favourite.

of State control.

try here.

tion, but there is no unanimity.

in the local organisations.

tempting new ventures.

have also been suggested in

A powerful faction wants the

brought to a head by the deci-Aliens In sion of the General Council of the Trades Union Congress, re-Hong Kong presenting Britain's eight million organised workers. At the end of December tast, there were 2,037 allens throw its weight behind those

(except persons of Chinese race) resident in Hong Kong. . Included Europeans unio di Vicini Gilli de la comine de la comi Among -the allens, the Portuguese led the list with

810 persons, followed by 231

Americans, 141 stateless persons. 122 Filipinos, 127 Italians, 112 / Dutch subjects, and 92 French subjects. -----Colony's

Dog Show

On Sunday Dogs from the United Kingdom and the United States will take part in the Colony's second . Dog Show since the end of the war. It will be held on Sunday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the Race Course under the auspices of the Hong Kong Kennel Club.

Represented at the Dog Show will be breeds ranging from the diminutive Chihuahun to "the lordly Great Dane. Alastians will head the list, followed by Cockers, Dachshunds, Bull Terciers, Pointers, and Scottish Ter-

New breeds to take part in the Show include the Borzol, Boston Terrier, Japanese Spaniel, Kerry Ulue Terrier, Pomerunian, Minia-Aure Paggle, Golden Retriever. and West Highland White Ter-Party and trade union representatives discussed chemicals

In an effort to establish some of Hong Kong's indigenous types, the HKKC will exhibit a few local breeds, one of which will be the Chinese Fighting Dog. The entries, which will exceed

3rd Feb.

lost year's figure by about 40 the Chemical Workers Union, will compete before a judge from England. The HKKC's 27 silver trophics will be awarded. An innovation this year is the awarding to such dogs as the judge deems worthy of an HKKC Challenge Certificate, one-third of the way towards a Championship. Arrangements have also been made for taking photographs of the blg winners. Two short run-

over Radio Hong Kong. The programme includes classes. One of the most spectacular is that for the "Best Brace," ported this recommendation, and in which the ring will hold about informed observers believe the 54 dogs simultaneously. tionalisation if Labour returns to

Another interesting class that for dogs bred by their power at the next election. owners, in which 16 may com-

Surplus funds from the show will be given to charities such as the SPCA or the Animal

Trouble At

The Emergency Unit, Kowloon, was called to the Nam Young Spinning Mills, Hung sections of the workers show less Hom, at about 7 p.m. yesterenthusiasm. Some fear that naday to quell a disturbance tionalisation, might follow, with created by the female workers who have been confined to lallour. their quarters for more

the opposition of the powerful As the result of the ensuing clash between the police and the Co-operative Wholesale Society. women, 13 female workers were Labour Party, which is drafting injured and Detective-constable the preliminary election pro-199 was struck on the forehead gramme proposals, has postponed its decision while it awaits, the

According to reports, the wooutcome of the lively discussions men yesterday demanded that still going on between the differthey be allowed to leave their ent sections of the Movement. quarters. When this was refused they created a disturbance.

document during the next few About a week ago, the women weeks for circulation to the party workers in the factory demanded throughout the country. The a revision of the proposed Chirank and file reaction will then nese New Year bonus and when this was rejected by the manage- be considered by the party's ment staged a strike. They were Executive when it decides its re--confined to their quarters, accord-/ commendations to the Labour ing to the vernacular papers, and Party's . Annual . Conference at have been so confined since. Whitsun.—Reuter.

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U.S. Aviation Industry

Washington, January 30. The American aviation industry is strongly opposing

suggestions that Britain be given raw materials and machine tools to increase her jet fighter production as part of the United States military aid programme to Europe.

The aircraft industry contended that the metals needed for jet production and machine 87,316 Working tools are scarce in the United States and that Europe's needs should be met either out of current American production or surplus aircraft stocks.

Under the various plans and estimates now being studied here before the military aid programme is presented to Congress for approval, the building up of the building of British fighters in

-countries Union a countries ing the nationalisation of the under-licence is regarded as a chemical and shipbuilding induskey in the Western European detries, water undertakings and infence plan.

It is suggested that Britain should be given funds from too programme to buy the necessary raw materials and machine tools to make a considerable increase in production. some quarters as fit subjects for

The opposition that is being voiced to these suggestions comes from an industry which is in many instances in financial trouble and anxious to take on more orders so that it can maintain and even increase its own pro- Shanghai, Mr. Delfin R. Garcin, duction schedules.

The issue, however, is regard- on his way to Canton. ed by European aviation experts here as a fundamental one, since of the Philippine Consulate here total, or even partial. European would comment on the nature of reliance on United States firms his trip to Canton. for fighters would mean a vastly greater expenditure in dollars ever, that Mr. Garcia is going to

than had been estimated, The Air Force department here was understood to be sympathetic to the American industry's view. But the final word will rest largely with the Defence Secretary and the Secretary of State, whose assistants are now consulting about details of the aid programme.--Reuter.

Robberies During Holidays

Several armed robberies, and robberies with violence, took place during the weekend, according to police re-

pressed for the widest measures At 8,30 p.m. on January 20 (Chinese New Year), seven men armed with five revolvers, enter-That meeting agreed to recomed the Wing Sun store at 858 mend the Labour Party to pro-Canton Road and, after binding the master and the six fokis, stole pose the nationalisation of the £170 million Imperial Chemical money and personal belongings to Industries combine, which is the the total value of \$865. backbone of the chemical indus-

At 1.30 am. that same day, Wong Wai-chol of 3 Wah On The Minister of Health, Mr. Lane, ground floor, was held up ning commentaries will be given Ancurin Bevan, and the Presi- by two men at the corner of day. Shanghai and Hamilton streets and robbed of \$2,000 cash. A man using the public latrine

at Wing Lok Street near Ramsey Street_at__1_p.m._on__January_29 was forcibly robbed of \$62 in money by two other men. Chow Li-chee of 11 Tokwawan Road, ground floor, reported that

while he was sitting on the grass at Harlech Road near Lugard Road with his sister Chow Fongyuen at 4 p.m. on Sunday three men approached them and held

men stole a wristwatch from his months' imprisonment and recomsister, a ring and some money. The total loss was given as \$105. F.X. d'Almada e Castro at Cen-The three men escaped in spite of the intervention of Mr. F. P. Franklin of 34 The Peak who, on sensing that something was wrong, challenged the three men The robbers dived into cover and

Larceny

vant were reported to the police during the Chinese New Year

A 35-year-old employee of Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., was stated to have stolen \$1,853 from fokt had decomped, with \$5.700 the firm, according to a report which he had collected from vari-

made at 10 a.m. on January 28. The manager of the Lai Heung | The report was made at 8.50 p.m. Wine Shop of 165 Des Voeux Road on January 30.

Days Lost Hong Kong lost 87,316 Working days last year as a result of industrial disputes, according to the Department of Statistics. This was 206,776 less working days lost than in the provious year.

Eight stoppages, of work shipyards during 1948, in-Volving a total of 2.676 Work ers, as compared with 13

stoppages in 1947 involving

. 13,887 workers.

PI SI Shanghai Consul

Philippine Consul arrived here on Saturday by CNAC

Nelther Mr. Garcia nor officials It was reliably learned, how-

Canton to survey the possibilities of transferring the Shanghai Philippine Consulate-General to the Kwangtung capital. This move will be in line with

the decision announced recently at Manila by the Philippine Minister to China, Dr. Proceso Sebastian, that his Legation will follow the Nationalist Government of China to Canton or to wherever its new seat may move,

king, Mr. Melquiades Ibancz, is is expected to arrive here on Thursday by the ss. Ploneer Lake.

Fire Cracker

Indiscriminate throwing of fire crockers, to the danger and annoyance of the general public, led to 32 persons, aged 17 to 40 and ranging from office clerks to shop fokis and students, being charged before Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at

formed the court that defendants were arrested in the Mong Kok and Shamshulpo districts between the night of January 28 and Sun-

Three defendants, who were ful in the future.

the manager of the Grand Dis-

Consulate in Ice House Street with the goods and there Liu Wai, the No. 1 Boy, detected the fraud. The liver extract was valued at

The Philippine Consul at Nanalso on his way to Canton. He

Kowloon yesterday.

Sub-Inspector J. H. Evans in-

unable to raise bail, were cautioned and discharged. Of the remainder, 12 forfeited their ball of \$25 each, and 17 were fined \$15 each. They were all warned to be care-

Months For

After man-handling them, the yesterday sentenced to nine mended for banishment by Mr. for attempting to obtain goods by false pretences.

> pensary received a telephone call on Saturday from defendant, purporting to be from the Portuguese Consulate, ordering eight packets of liver extract. The goods were to be paid for on delivery. Defendant then went to the

West reported that a 36-year-old ous shops ion behalf of the firm.

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CLOTHES PROBLEM

London, January 30. The President of the Board of

Mr. Harold Wilson, whose dictates control British wardrobes, is in a dilemma about the clothes' rationing. He must make a decision beit will be a hard decision to make and knows se matter what

There are three main courses Mr. Wilson can follow.

someone.

Abolish Rationing The first is to abolish clothes rationing altogether. British menand women who have coped with clothing coupons for eight years would have welcomed this two, years ago when coupons were short and sold on the blackmarket for three shillings' aplece. Smart clothes were reappear-

ing in shops then at reasonable prices, and the average woman could have banished her shabby war years.

But when blackmarket compons are only worth a few permies, it is a question of eash, not coupons, women more than the men. Britons Are Shoddy

Prices have soured. Money is scarce. These are the reasons why people are not able to buy extra clothes and why British men and women still appear shouldy and colourless to foreign visitors.

and still expose kness in their tola is equal to unfashionable short skirts. Retailers favour taking clothes

manufacturers are divided. The second course open to Mr. ling). Hangkok on New present scheme which allows 241 Kong 3.90. coupons overy six months. The third way open to Mr. hem)

scheme which presents distinct 408: possibilities. He can allocate ex- Napoleon (Louis) 830; Union Ronded Warehouse Regulations tra coupons or take a large section Latine (1 coin of 20 francs gold) consignees must have a Revenue of clothing off coupons, as he did 290; Turkish Gold pound with boots and shoes. pon inflation would be intensified. Kilo) 600.

There are — more — coupons — then ; goods to meet the shortage. Mr. Wilson has worned that supplies of some items of men's and women's clothing are likely to get scarcer, but has refused to private banks have taken over say which articles because he does not want a run on them in

The high prices of this clothing has started the prosperous business in London of hiring out of all types of women's clothing. For the past 50 years, men have been to guarantee loans where private renting evening dress, but there concerns supply funds.—Associated has never been, until recently, a press. similar service for women.

A woman can have the choice of 4,000 dresses at one guinea per night. A bridal outfit costs her 10 guineas. More than women resited their dresses for New Year's Eve.-Router.

sociated Press.

London, January 30.

hall, these should have been taken

over by whatever authority suc

ceeded the Mandatory Government.

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"Economic experts here be- | 2.—The British Mandatory Govlieve that the talks may result: ernment obligations as regards Tomol's returning to the pensions to British and Palestine Post Office half an hour sartier than the sterling bloc," the dispatch

"But the Israell Governmentalthough bound by all the concossions granted by the British during the mandate-have taken a fore March I, when the new finitio view of the shadow concoupon period starts. He admits, cessions to the Iraqi Petroleum Company, granting as the very least terms port facilities and the action he takes it will displease right to lay another pipeline

through Palestine territory. "A Tel Avly spokesman said five months ago: "The Israeli Govornment does not hold itself bound by these new under-the-table con-

The "shadow concessions" were granted to oil companies by the departing High Commissioner for Palestine, General Sir Alan Cunningham, without being published in the official Gazette, the correspondent reported.

The correspondent said the other two main topics of the discussions to follow the British de facto re clothes that had lasted during the cognition of the Jewish State would be:

1.—The £90 million of Palestine money which has been frozen by the Treasury since last August. with most men and women, and just before the end of the mandate, when Palestine was excluded from the sterling bloc.

SILVER AND GOLD MARKETS

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LOAN TO HOLLAND

Washington, January 31. The World Bank announced most of # US\$12,000,000 loan .if made last August to four Netherlands shipping companies for purchase of six ships in America. The Dutch shipping loan was the first mortgage loan ever made signed on or before the 14th by the World Bank, and it marked February, 1949 or they will not the Bank's first use of its power be recognised.

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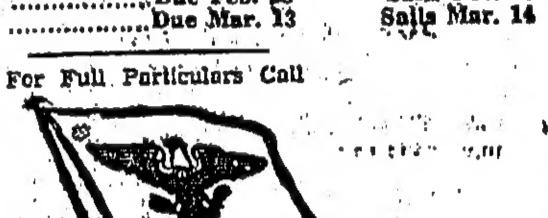
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AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS

Arrivals

TODAY

AIR FRANCE ex-Salgon: 11.30 a.m. BOAC ex-Southampton via Bangkokt p.m.: ex-Singapores 4 p.m. CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow: 12.45 p.m 5 p.m.; ex-Capton: 8.40 s.m., 10.10 m.co., 11 a.m., 12,30 p.to., 2,50 p.m., 3,35 p.m., 5,10 p.m.; ex-Shanghai. 11.45 a.m.; ex-Shanghai via Amoy, Swatow, Canton: 3,25 p.m. ATC ex-Talpen via Amoy, Swatow: 6.20

p.m.; ex-Kunming via Liuchow, Can ton: 6.30 p.m. CFA ex-Manila: 11,30 a.m. HK AIRWAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 a.m 11,40 g.m., 2,40 p.m., 4.40 p.m. PAA ex-Sun Francisco via Honolui Midway, Wake, Guam, Manilat.

PAL ex-San Francisco via Henolulu Wake, Guam, Manila: 2 p.m.

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AIR FRANCE ex-Salgon: 5 p.m. CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow: 12.45 p.m. 5 p.m.: ex-Calcutta, Rangoon, Kunming: 1 p.m.; ex-Canton: 8.40 a.m. 16.10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12.10 p.m., 2.50 11,45 a.m.; ex-Yulin via Holhow, Canton: 5 p.m.

HK_AIRWAYS_ex-Canton: 9.40 11,40 a.m., 2,40 p.m., 4.40 p.m. PAA ex-New York via London, Istanbul,

Karachi, Calcutta, Bangkok: 3.45 p.m. THURSDAY

CNAC ex-Amoy via Bwatow: 12.45 p.m., FERNSIDE (Thorsten) 5 p.m.; ex-Canton: 8.40 a.m., 10,10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12,30 p.m., 2.50 p.m., 3,35 p.m., 5,10 p.m.; ex-San Franelsco via Honolulu; Wake, Guam 1 p.m.; ex-Shanghal: 11,45 a.m. 2,55 p.m., 3,25 p.m.; ex-Tuipeh via Swatow: \$.25 p.m.; ex-Tuluan via Swatow, Canton: 5,50 p.m.

CATC ex-Talpeh via Amoy, Swatow: 4.20 HK AIRWAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 m.m. 11,40 m.m., 2,40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.; ex-Shunghal: 1 p.m.; ex-Manila: 2.10 PAA ex-Manila: 2 p.m.; ex-San Francisco via Honolulu Wake, Tokyo, Shang-

hair 3,30 p.m. BOAC ex-Southampton, Bangkok: 3 p.m. ex-Shanghat: \$ p.m.

Departures

AIR FRANCE for Balgon: 12.80 p.m. CNAC for Amor, Swatow: 7 a.m., 11.15 n.m.; Canton: 8,05 a.m., 2,65 a.m., 10.25 a.m., 12.46 p.m., 1.20 p.m., \$.05 p.m., 3.0 p.m.; Foothow Canton: B a.m.: Shanghali B a.m.

TO for Talpeh via Swatow, Amort a.m.; Kunming: 7 a.m.; Shanghal: HK AIRWAYS for Canton: B a.m., '10

PAA for Bangkok: 8 p.m. TOMORROW

DOAG for Shanghali 8.40 m.m. CNAO for Amoy via Swatows 7 s.m. 11.16 a.m.; Danton: \$.05 a.m., \$.55 *.m. 19.25 a.m. 12,45 g.m., 1,34 p.m., 2.05 p.m., 2.40 p.m.; Hothow via Canton: 8 s.m.; San Francisco via Bhanghal, Tokyo, Wake, Honolulu 8 a.m. | Bhanghalt 8 a.m., 18,45 p.m. DATO for Shanghal wis Canton, Bustow, Amoyt .8 a.m.; Cantont . B.15 b.m. CPA for Manilai 8.40 p.m.; Bydney

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IIK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m., 16

a.m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m.; Shanghair 10

a.m.; Manifer 11 a.m. PAA for San Prencises via Manila, Guam, Wake, Midway, Mondulus 4.48

TALL for Ban Prancisco via Manija Guam, Wake, Honolulus 10 a.m. THURSDAY. AIR BRANCE for Shanghats 7 a.m. CNAO for Amor Bystows 7 a.m. 11.15 BEREVERETT (Everett) ex-Boanghal 10,20 am. 48:40 Bine. 1.49 p.m.

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minute inclusion in the team.

A Matter Of Dollars

heavyweight wherever he can get the most money, his manager, Marshall Miles, said today. "The bout may be held in New York and it may be held in Chicago. If some other city puts in a better and higher bid, we will fight there," he added.

"It is purely and simply a, matter of dollars and centa with ua. because Louis is not kidding about retining this time,"

Doung.

the net.

Louis won an unofficial decision over Nino Valdez of Havana in a four-round exhibition bout here last night. A newspaper pollgave Louis three rounds with one drawn.--Reuter.

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Home League Tables

The First Division standings remain unchanged, no games being played last Saturday. Second Division

Bredford ... 27 It 6 to 48 47 24 and came near to scoring on two Plymouth ... 27 9 7 11 32 35 25 | pectively.

Third Division-Northern keep up with the play. P W D L P A Pis through Kiernan in the 37th

P W D L P A'Pis players. Hibernian ... 21 19 6 -4 56 87 29 1 10 10 B 4 37 28 25 .

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Kternan. Before Salgon knew Tai-jai.

tures of this game were the trouble. refusal of dit Quyen, the Saigon goalkeeper, to defend his charge when a penalty. was * 47' % 29 awarded against his side and 2 '9 44 86 28 the fine sporting gesture on the part of Chang Kam-hoi, Purt Vale ... 25 10 5 10 15 28 28 16 the Combined Chinese Capa 7 10 40 45 23 tain, in deliberately kicking wide rather than score. In throwing away the oppors 6 11 32 50 22 tunity to give his side victory, awarded.

Watford ... 27 8 12 .10 80 84 22 Chang ran a grave risk, as the Newport 25 7 6 12 68 65 20 majority of Chinese spectators Aldershot ... 25 ' 8, 7 12 80 34 19 were already incensed at the Bouthend ... 24 4 10 19 21 28 18 failure of the Combined Chinese Palace 26 4 7 15 18 49 15 to score and had, for three quarters of the game, been hurling

The Interport soccer match between Saigon and Hong Kong at Caroline Hill on Chinese New Year's Day ended in a win for Hong Kong by three quals to one. As an Interport match, the game was most dis-

appointing, play never at any stage reaching the standard of local First Division soccer. Before the game started, the what was happening, Kiernan had

Saigon 1-Hong Kong 3

Saigon and Hong Kong play- netted with a powerful shot to ers were introduced to the the top of the net. Governor, Sir Alexander went further ahead when, follow-Grantham, who was an inter- ing a centre by Fung Kingested spectator throughout, cheung from a corner kick, Kier-The captain of the Saigon XI nan nodded the ball past dit was presented with a bouquet Quyen to give Hong Kong their

of flowers by Miss Helen second goal, Just before half time, Saigon Highlight of the game was the were able to reduce Hong Kong's magnificent goal by Higgs of the lead when Van Trong, after clud-Royal Navy, who led the Hong ing Hau. Yung-sang, raced Kong attack in the absence of through on his-own to beat Yu Tang Yee-kit, Higgs netted with Yiu-tak with a fast ground shot a fast rising shot from about 30 to the lower right hand corner yards distance, the ball striking of the net.

Erratic Forwards Saigon started off promisingly on resumption and should have

It was truly a great effort by drawn level in the early stages of this half. Their forwards were. | however, erratic in their shooting and whatever scoring chances who more than justified his last came their way were thrown Klernan and Fung King- away.

Hong Kong gradually settled cheung were also prominent in down and took a firm hold as the the Hong Kong attack, Fung, who game progressed. The Saigon defence was subject to constant bombardment and shots were benan was a go-getter throughout. ing sent in point blank from all In defence, Hong Kong were dh ections. best served by Hsu Keng-sing.

The Salgon forwards broke away occasionally, but their individual efforts lacked punch and the Hong Kong defenders were able to clear the ball without

falled to serve up the brand of Hong Kong went further ahead tootball which has come to be through Higgs who, after gaining expected of him. He was, however, in the picture with several possession of the ball, raced up on Monday. the centre and scored with a neat passing bouts with Fung brilliant shot from about 30 yards distance, much to the Dit Quyen played a sound game amazement of the Saigon defence and speciators, who expected him in the Saigon goal and saved several difficult shots. Valco and to work the ball closer in before shooting. Mamosa gave a sterling display

did not possess one forward who Sunderland out of their stride. had any sense of direction. Of the Salgon forwards, Enigon: Nguyen Van Hap dit passing were useless against the 5 13 27 47 25 Guichard and Van Trong were Quyen, Ly Van Nga, Nguyen Di terrier-like tackling of Yeavil, Gelmsby 25 o 8 12 45 54 20 the most dangerous, but their Nhon dit Vaico, Georges Mamosa, who were mobbed by the record Notis For. . . 26 8 4 14 25 85 20 efforts were wasted through the Paul Pacial, Phan Van Hieu, D. A. crowd of 17,000 as the final Lincoln 27 5 8 14 40 56 18 | leability of the inside men to dit Giuchard, Pham Van Dao, whistle sounded. Thuong Huu Tho, Lo Hou Duc

Hong Kong's first goal came and Huyah Van Trong. Hong Kong: Yu Ylu-tak, Hau initial shock with a first half minute of the first half. The ball Yung-sang. was taken down the right by Wentherell, Chang Kam-hoi, Lau through Robinson when Richard Fung, who sent across a perfect Chung-sang, Fung King-cheung, Dyke, the young amateur deputy centre which was connected by Mullen, Higgs, Kiernan and Lee

Saigon, Chinese Tie

Saigon 0—Combined Chinese 0 The soccor game between Saigon and Combined Chinese at Caroline Hill on Sunday ended in a draw, neither side scoring.

Accrington .. 28 6 6 16 82 47 18 Saigon gave a much better performance than they did on the previous day against Hong Kong, but once again their forwards failed miser-

The most outstanding fea- pacify the players and aver

abuse at the different Chinese

Lalconter City Hall City and vital to promption less the Total (tor 7, water)

The game started off at a fast pace, with the Chinese taking the

them from scoring.

Awarded Free Kick Saigon forwards, who were very Stoke City in 1934. fast on the ball, spelt danger, but The 16 ties drew an aggregate unfit, notched a hat-trick. An- Dawes accounted for Army's dethe situation was relieved when attendance of about 640,000, other other goal scoring here was feat of Club de Recreto by three one of their inside men handled huge gates being more than McKennan, who shot Brentford's wicket in a league match at

The Chinese goal had a narrow 80,000 at Chelsen. Brentford, his other goal knock- L.G. Gosano, b' Banton escape at one stage of the game At the Portsmouth-Sheffeld ing out Middlesbrough in the A.M. Prata b Stepto. when the Salgon forwards car- United and Manchester United previous round. ried out a sustained attack, send- matches gates were closed before Arsenal once again went under Dr. E.L. Gosano, lbw, b Stepto 25

started off with a rush and Chu was that of Cardiff City, who Arsenal were without Leslie Dr. H.L. Ozorio, b Jones Chang fully displayed during Wing-keung, who had apperently both matches against Balgon, forgotten to bring his shooting that he can play a clean game boots along, missed an east when he is not singled out for the missed an east when he is not singled out for the shot wide from the shot wide shot wide from the shot wide shot wide

Later the Chinese were award- by the Cordiff forwards.



An exciting moment in front of Hong Kong goal during the interport soccer match between Saigon and Hong Kong on Chinese New Year Day .- "China Mail"

Yeovil Town Earns Undying Fame

London, January 29. Ycovil Town, of the Southern League, the only team outside the Football League left in the FA Cup, today carned undying fame with a thrilling fourth round victory in extra time over the First Division "giants," Sunderland.

. The gallant Somerset club thus equalled the feat last season of Colchester United, who reached the fifth round before going out at the hands of Blackpool, the eventual finalists. Everybody in football will wish Yeovil the luck of the draw

Whether or not the Yeovil

sloping pitch played any part in the result, the fact remains that on the day's play Sunderland could not grumble at their defeat. The jubilant men of Yeovil Saigon had their chances be- played with extreme confidence, fore the final whistle, but they and their persistent raids put | Sunderland's attempts at short

> Hsu Keng-sing, goal, which Sunderland equalised goalkeeper, made his only serious mistake by dropping the ball. The centre forward, Eric Bryant, former Mansfield Town sharpshooter, notched the vital goal in

> > the honour of the best feat of six clubs who have to replay have A. the round. Following their great inever gained the trophy-Stoke V.C. Bond, .c Beltrao, b third round performance at City, Blackpool, Bradford and Newcastle, they visited mighty Newport County. Manchester United, the Cup holders, and forced them to a replay with a 1-1 draw after Section leaders, surrendered T.A. Madar, c B.T. Gosano,

Half-Time Lead

through a goal by Henry, and Spencer, a part time professional, although Mitten equalised, Brad- was discovered when playing on ford throughout gave as much as the Burnley ground in a junior they received. The attendance, Cup final less than a year ago. the Chinese forwards prevented 82,771, was the biggest in English The biggest defeat of the round G.N. Gosano football this season, but fell be- was suffered by Walsall, who L.G. Gosano ... low the Maine Road ground re- conceded four goals without reply A.M. Prats cord of 84,569 for a Cup tie be- at Luton. Brennan, the Irishman, E.L. Gosano 5 2 15 An early breakaway by the tween Mauchester City and playing out of position at centre Army-Recreio

the ball and a free kick was 70,000 at Villa Park, more than single point against Torquay. He King's Park on Saturday. 61,000 at Liverpool and nearly has scored only twice for the RECREIO

Queen of 8. 21 10 6 6 30 35 24 special attention and persocuted close range with only ine goals in a storming limith and he second the winning goal.

Fast Fife 20 11 1 8 41 29 23 by those who, for some reason to by the Cardiff forwards.

Falkirk 21 10 8 6 7 38 27 22 or other, hear him a personal Later the Chinese were award.

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London, January 31. The draw for the fifth round of the Football Association Cup was made in London today. The matches are to be played on February 12 and the draw was:

Manchester United or Bradford versus Ycovil, Portsmouth versus Newport or Huddersfield, West Brom. versus Chelsea, Stoke or Blackpool versus Hull, Luton versus Leices-Brentford versus Burnley, Wolverhampton versus Liverpool, versus

Replays will be held on the following Saturday, with extra time to be played on each occasion. if: necessary.—Reuter.

Bradford ran Yeovil close for Yeovil. In addition, four of the

Surrender Record Rotherham United, Northern J. Barrow, not out their unbeaten home record. through their Cup defeat at G. Taylor, b G.N. Gosano ... Burnley, whose solitary goal was scored by the inside left, Jack Bradford led at halftime Spencer, on his first team debut.

forward, because Arnison was

ing in powerful shots from all the start.

Of the five away victories in County, who took three League Dr. A.M. Rodrigues, c Murthe 16 ties, the most dramatic points from them over Christmas.

ray-Brown, b Jones

Scottisti League—B"

| Prosen work was spout by weak delight of the delight of mark, much to the delight of the crowd which was not slow time, and three will be replayed but the Wednesday put up a great to appreciate Chang's fine gesture of appreciate Changes and saved several almost of appreciate Changes appreciate Changes are constant.

RECREIO SUFFER DOUBLE DEFEAT-OVER WEEK-END

Hong Kong University beat

J.M. Gosano; ibw, B Davidson. 6

J.C. Koh, E. Ho, H. Amman,

T.H. Lean and D. Cheiliah did not

IRC-Royal Navy

In a First Division League

Cricket match, Royal Navy best

S.A. Ismail, c and b Hart ...

A.R. Abbas, c Garrod, b

A.R. Suffiau, c Garrod, b Hart

E.H. Ismail, not out

Extra

ROYAL NAVY

Total (for 2 wkts.)

Friendly Game

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Ismail' 6 0 38

Cpl. Hart, not out

0 S.H. Khan, c Garrod, b White

A. el Arculli, Jr., b White ...

63 I.M. Omar, c Hart, b White.

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T. Lo, e A. Zimmern, b F.R.

Prof. L.T. Ride, c Taylor, b

. 3. S.A. Vanar, not out

D F.R. Zimmern ... 13 4 39

O Taylor 11

wickets at Sookunpoo.

Detailed scores were:

Club de Recreio suffered a disastrous week-and at cricket, losing to the Army on Saturday and KCC yesterday, both games being played at

Army is now in the most favourable position for championship honours in the First Division · Cricket League, having the same number of points as Recreio with more games to play.

Contrary to expectations | Lt. A. Stepto and Pte. Miller and predictions, Royal Navy did not bat. beat Indian Recreation Club by eight wickets to bring in their Percira first victory of the season. A number of friendlies were G.N. Gosano played over the holidays the Ozorlo 1 0 8 most interesting of which was at the IRC where the over 35's beat HKU-KCC

Recreio-KCC First to bat, KCC piled up 138 Kowloon Cricket Club by six runs for eight wickets and their wickets in a First Division cricket innings saw W. M. Davidson and match at Cox's Road on Saturday. F. R. Zimmern in deadly form, knecking 53 and 63, respectively, to allow their side to declare on W.M. Davidson, c Gosano, b the eighth wicket. Both batsmen were hitting N. Hart-Baker, b Teh

the under's by 35 runs.

turiously with little respect for A. Zimmeru, b Koh Recrelo's fielding and bowling. F.R. Zimmern, b Koh Gerry Gosano was bowling best T.A. Madar, c Teh, b Koh ... and took four wickets for 31 E.C. Fincher, c Koh, b Lean runs. A. P. Pereira claimed the J. Barrow, b Koh other four wickets but allowed J.P. Hewitt, c Amman, b Ride 56 runs.

Recreio began batting in ex- G.E. Taylor, lbw, b Koh W.H. Cowle, not out cellent form and at one stage had 80 runs with only, one wicket! down. That was when Albert Prata and Gerry Gosano, were holding the wicket for 40 minutes of fast scoring. . Prata was top scorer with 44 runs and Gosano next best with 25. Both R. E. Lee and

Davidson were in good Ride 2 0 /22 form. Lee took seven wickets for 45 runs and Davidson, three S.H. Teh, c Hart-Baker, b for 24. RECREIO L.G. Gosano, c.A. Zimmern, b R.E. Lee

A.M. Prata, c Barrow, b R.E. U.N. Gosano, Ibw. b R.E. Lee 25 C. Huang, not out E.I. Gosano, b Davidson, ... P.M.N. da Silva, c F. Zimmern, b. R.E. Lee E.M.L. Scares, b R.E. Lee ... A.M. Rodrigues, c'A. Zimmern,

b R.E. Lea N.A. Beltrao, c Hart-Baker, b R.E. Lec A.P. Pereira; b. Davidson ... B.T. Gosano, b Dayldson D.M. Rodrigues, not out Extras 12 Davidson 14 1 43

Cardill F. Zimmerii 4 - 32 R.E. Leg 13.2 2 45

W.M. Davidson 10 5 24 KCC: E.C. Fincher, c E.L. Gosano, b Pereira W.M. Davidson, b G.N. "Gospho Zimmern, b Pereira

Percira N. Hart-Baker, b G.N. Gosano F.R. Zimmern, b G.N. Gosano b Pereira

Extras

Total (for B wkts) ... 138 Bowling Analysis O, M. R. W. Browne 2 A.P. Pereira ... 15.5 2 56

A brilliant innings. by Major

G.N. Gosano, b Stepto

Alleged Assailant

The alteged assallant of Hong Kang Bahltary Department coolle, fatally, injured Contro Street last year, has been arrested by the Chinese

authorities. The man, said to be a local meat seller, will be handed over to the Hong Kong authorities for trial on Thursday, the "China Mail" learned yesterday.

He was arrested about 40 miles from the New Territories border in Chinese territory Detective Inspector Shaw

will leave for Shumohun on Thursday to take the man into custody.

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Zimmeru, b Koh 40	Gambrill, not out
	Extras
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Barrow, b Koh 2	Bowling Analysis
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Taylor, lbw, b Koh 0	212
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	Rowe, c Murray-Brown
UNIVERSITY	Ride, retired
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Taylor	Mackleod, b Stepto
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Extras	Jones de 22
	White 6 — 26
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Results

Banton

London, January 29. The following were the re-Indian Recreation Club by eight sults of football matches play-

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F.A. CUP-I	FOURTH ROUNI
Aston Villa	1 Cardiff
Brentford	1 Torquay
Chelsea	2 Everton
	1 : Arsenal
	1 West Brom.
	extra time)
Grimbby .	2 Hull City
Lelcostor	2 Preston
	1 Notts Co.
Luton	4 Walsall
Manchester U.	
Cofter	extra time)
	2 Sheffield W.
Rotherham	0 Burnley
Sheffield U.	0 Wolves

(after extra time) Ycovil Town 2 Sunderland (after extra time) .-SECOND DIVISION Blackburn 1 Notts Forest 0 Plymouth' Queen's P.R. 1 Southampton - Lt. Grant, not out THIRD DIVISION SOUTHERN CERA Browne, c Khan, b 2 Northampton 2 Arculli 2 Bristol C. Lt. E. Habershon, b Arculli. Reading v. Southend (postponed). 3 Brighton -

1 Norwich THIRD DIVISION NORTHERN 2 Carlisle Accrimition O Rochdale Bradford City 4 Southport. York -Chester (see 2 Darlington Mansfield 0 · Hartlepools Tranmere 2 N. Brighton Wrdxhhm. SCOTTISH LEAGUE A"

In a junior longue game, Army Recrelo totalled 82 all out with Clyde 2 D. Remedios top score, of 15 runs | East Fife and L. Vieira, 14. O Jones took & wickets for 30. Morton v Falkirk (postponed). 9 and Short 3 for 37. Dobson took Queen of South 1. Celtie

2 for eight runsile and Hamilton 3 8 Kilmarnock 11

In a friendly match HKCC beat Combined Services by four wie-B kets at Chater Road yesterday 72 COMBINED SERVICES

Crellem, c Clague, b Howarth 1 d Beirne, e Muckeoch b Ride 2 Habershah, b. Howarth Banton le Newton b Ride d Stepto B Ride 2 Jones, b Howarth 130 Morris, b Howarth

M.I. Razack, b Thornley 28 A.R. Kitchell, b Hart 4 Thornley 48, A.K. Ismail, b Hart 44 M. Samy, not out Total (for 9 wkts. decl. 152 Stoke City . 1 Blackpool 0 . St. Mirren -0. Hibernian 2 Third Lanark 0 5 Motherwell 11

Murray-Brown, c. Kerr, b. WILL BE FOUND 20 Twelvetless, run out

Queen's Park 4 Dunfermiles 4

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